

ARMY, NAVY JOINT COMMANDERS IN CHARGE DURING HAWAII ATTACK

American Force Reported In Action Near Singapore

Veil of Secrecy Shrouds Radio Announcement

U. S., British and Dutch Officials Confer, New York Hears.

By International News Service.
NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—“American forces are already operating around Singapore, but I can't identify them or say what they are doing.”

Cecil Brown, Columbia Broadcasting System's representative at Singapore, made this announcement tonight in a shortwave broadcast over the Columbia network.

“I have reports of staff discussions in Singapore between American, British and Dutch officials,” Brown added.

JAPS NEAR TIP OF PENANG IN NORTH MALAYA PUSH

By The Associated Press.

The London radio reported yesterday that the Japanese drive in northwestern Malaya was but 10 miles from the northern tip of Penang, and gave the following details as to the tactics of the Japanese advance.

Mechanized columns, including tanks, some of them one-man tanks, push their way down the road, supported by divebombers. The purpose of these low-flying aircraft is to blast our defenses out of the way wherever possible. Once an opening has been made, the enemy's mechanized troops push on for a few miles and dig themselves in.

“Meanwhile the infantry of trained jungle fighters, many of them equipped with machineguns, deploy on either side and cut their way through the jungle. Their object is to consolidate their position after the breach made by the mechanized spearheads. If this succeeds, the maneuver is completed.”

“Grave Events” in Timor.
In Lisbon the government announced late last night the cabinet had held a special meeting “to deal with grave events which

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Fair, Slightly Warmer Weather Forecast Here

Atlanta is in for fair and slightly warmer weather today. Variable cloudiness may be expected with a low of 40 degrees, the Atlanta office of the United States weather bureau reported. Yesterday's extremes were 40 and 60 degrees.

Life of Our Lord

by Charles Dickens

Written for his children in 1846-49 and held a family secret for nearly a century.

Triumphal entry into Jerusalem is depicted—Perfidy of Judas, as he plotted the end, once more is vividly recalled.

CHAPTER THE EIGHTH.

There was a certain man named Lazarus of Bethany, who was taken very ill, and as he was the brother of that Mary who had anointed Christ with ointment, and wiped His feet with her hair, she and her sister Martha sent to Him in great trouble, saying: “Lord, Lazarus, whom you love, is sick, and like to die.”

Jesus did not go to them for two days after receiving this message; but when that time was past, He said to His Disciples, “Lazarus is dead. Let us go to Bethany.” When they arrived there (it was a place near Jerusalem) they found, as Jesus had foretold, that Lazarus was dead, and had been dead and buried four days.

When Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she rose up from among the people who had come to condole with her on her poor

Borneo's Tactics Foil Japan's Drive for Oil

(Japan's invasion foothold on the Sarawak coast in northwestern Borneo opens a new vista of tremendous importance to the “Battle of the Pacific,” W. W. Chaplin, INS war editor, reveals in the following analysis. Mr. Chaplin is one of the few Americans to make a personal survey of Borneo since the outbreak of World War II. He visited its defenses and oil fields last year during a 30,000-mile aerial trip to the Pacific outposts from the American mainland to Asia.)

By W. W. CHAPLIN.
International News Service War Editor.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—(INS)—The island of Borneo is one of the world's richest petroleum prizes. But even if Japan should follow her invasion foothold on Sarawak by complete occupation of the island, I know from personal inspection of Borneo's defense preparations that the Japanese will find the oil destroyed everywhere, as it was in Sarawak.

When the Japanese landed in the Miri and Lubong districts of Sarawak, a British protectorate on the northwest coast, they found the oil reserves burned and the wells wrecked. That means they will get no oil from wells which normally produce 1,000,000 tons a year. I do not believe they will get any, either, from wells in the rest of Borneo which produce annually an additional 1,725,000 tons.

Sarawak became an independent state under British protection in 1842, when the Sultan of Brunei ceded the government to Sir James Brooke after he had put down a rebellion there. Present Rajah of the jungle state, is Sir Charles Vyner Brooke, a direct descendant, of the first white Rajah. The Rajah of Sarawak, Sir Charles' wife, is now in New York on her way to London to arrange for selection of a successor to the throne after the death of the present ruler, who has no sons. She said the “scorched earth” plan for meeting invasion was decided on long ago.

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Red Cross Drive for \$320,000 For War Relief Opens Today

Annual Spring Roll Call To Be Combined With Campaign; DeKalb Countians Asked To Contribute \$24,000.

Atlanta's campaign to raise \$320,000, her quota in the American Red Cross war fund, gets under way today with Oby Brewer and George Marchmont as heads of the Atlanta organization, while Scott Candler will head the organization which will raise \$24,000 in DeKalb county.

The annual Red Cross roll call, which generally is held in the spring, has been combined with the special war fund, so that it will be unnecessary for the Red Cross to appeal again for funds before next fall.

“This is no ordinary appeal for

funds,” Brewer said yesterday. “It is an urgent call upon you to supply the money that will enable the Red Cross to care for the needs of our soldiers and sailors in a time of war, and it is an appeal for you to help the Red Cross in its Home Defense program of civilian training and disaster relief.”

“We fully realize that Atlanta has a stiff quota, and we know also that Atlanta has never failed to meet an emergency. It has never fallen down on any obligation. In the past, Atlantans have responded generously to the appeals of the Red Cross in time of peace, and in time of war we must ask the people of Atlanta to quadruple the donations they have made in the past. By quadrupling the donations, and by giving quickly, we can provide the Red Cross with the funds it needs at home, in the Army and Navy centers of training, and on the battlefield.”

Although the campaign opens officially today, public resentment of the disaster at Pearl Harbor already has made itself felt in contributions received at the campaign headquarters, which were opened Monday at 61-63 Forsyth street. Many groups already have sent in their contributions to the Red Cross war fund. In many instances, the contributions represent a 100 per cent contribution on the part of the members of the organizations contributing.

So far, the total amount has not been made public, but as the campaign gets under way, announcements will be made daily of the contributions received. This year a new division has been added to the campaign organization. A special gifts committee has been formed. Preston S. Arkwright and Ryburn Clay are co-chairmen of this committee, which has volunteered to contact all persons in Atlanta who may be in a position to make large gifts and who will appreciate an opportunity to do so in person.

Group chairmen have been ap-

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F.D.R. Predicts Long War, Asks Ban on Strikes

Speed in Turning Out Equipment Held Vital to Victory.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Working under an admonition from President Roosevelt to reach an agreement by Friday, a group of business, labor and government representatives sought today to work out a plan for insuring uninterrupted arms production for the duration of the war.

“We have got to keep things going,” Mr. Roosevelt told the conferees in an extemporaneous address at the White House before the meeting had organized. “We can't have stoppages. . . . The country is expecting something from you in a hurry—I don't say by tomorrow night—but it will be a thrilling thing if we could get something out in the way of a unanimous agreement by tomorrow night, Thursday, or at the latest Friday night.”

Chairman William H. Davis told reporters that the conferees had agreed that no announcement would be made other than that the session would be resumed tomorrow morning, and that today's meeting was “excellent.”

Cautioning the group that the American way of life was in grave danger, Mr. Roosevelt predicted that the war would “go on for a long time.”

“And so,” he added, “I have asked you here to help win this war, just as much as if you were in uniform. I am going to use a word which none of us like—and I don't either. The word is ‘must.’ I am applying the word ‘must’ to you as individuals and to myself.”

“I want speed. Speed now is of the essence. Just as much in turning out things in plants as it is among the fighting forces. . . . We have got to increase our production program. We are still in a sense—whether you like it or not—the arsenal of the free world. . . . We have got to do perfectly unheard-of things.”

In asking for quick agreement the President urged the labor-management men to put aside their differences.

The 1918 War Labor Board adopted a no-strike, no-lockout policy and ruled that there should be no change in the status quo of existing labor contracts.

While today's conference was in progress, management and labor representatives in the maritime industry pledged that there would be no strikes during the war.

West End Businessmen's Club Adopts An Opportunity Family

Mother and Four Children Will Get Care Until Father Recovers From Illness and Returns to Work.

By FRANK DRAKE.
The West End Business Men's Association yesterday “adopted” Atlanta's Opportunity Family No. 9 as its Christmas gift to the city for 1941 and in doing so has assured a fine, worthwhile family of help during its most trying time.

Under the leadership of Walter L. Richard, association president, members pledged \$25 a month to buy food and clothing and other necessities for Mr. and Mrs. T. and their four children, while this father recovers from a nervous illness and goes back to work.

The story of the T family appeared in The Constitution Tuesday morning. The West End started a movement in 1937 to have Title One of the National Housing act re-enacted, and led

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NEW U. S. PACIFIC FLEET CHIEF—Rear Admiral Chester V. Nimitz, above, yesterday was ordered to command of the U. S. Pacific fleet by Secretary Knox. Nimitz was a captain when this photo was made.



GENERAL D. C. EMMONS
Relieves General Walter Short

GENERAL C. L. TINKER
Hawaii's New Air Force Chief

Phi Beta Orders School Row Probe

The Phi Beta Kappa senate voted yesterday in New York to investigate charges that political interference had caused such serious deterioration at the University of Georgia that continuance of the Phi Beta Kappa chapter there would “place in jeopardy the society's ideals of scholarship and character and the significance of membership.”

The university recently was dropped from the list of accredited institutions by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

With models and drawings of the scheme, for which surveys already had been made, they seized one Reinhold Hahn, 61, whom they identified as a German Gestapo agent and engineer who came to Cuba on a tourist card issued in Berlin.

Police said the evidence was the most startling encountered so far in the vigorous campaign against Axis spies and propagandists since Cuba declared war in concert with the United States.

Accused with Hahn was a man booked as Victor Schmeier Rubin, 65, described a Lithuanian who did the field survey work for the reflector plotters in Oriente province.

But its activities have not been local entirely. The association started a movement in 1937 to have Title One of the National Housing act re-enacted, and led

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Nimitz Is Appointed To Replace Kimmel; Short Also Relieved

General Emmons Becomes Chief of Hawaiian Department, Relieving General Walter Short.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The Army and Navy swept the ranking officers of the Hawaiian area from their commands tonight because the Japanese attack at Pearl Harbor caught United States defense forces by surprise.

Admiral Husband E. Kimmel, commander in chief of the Pacific Fleet, was ordered replaced by Rear Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, chief of the Bureau of Navigation.

Lieutenant General Walter C. Short was relieved of command of the Hawaiian Department by Lieutenant General Delos C. Emmons.

Served Army in South.

General Short commanded the First Army Corps, with headquarters in Columbia, S. C., before going to Hawaii last January. He assumed command of the corps, which embraces the 8th and 30th Divisions at Fort Jackson and the 9th Division at Fort Bragg, N. C., when it was activated in October, 1940. Short was promoted from major general to lieutenant general when he was sent to Hawaii.

Major General Frederick L. Martin, in command of the Hawaiian air forces, was ordered relieved by Brigadier General C. L. Tinker.

In making the announcements, the War and Navy departments did not pass judgment on the replaced officers, or fix responsibility for alleged lack of alertness at Hawaii. That will be done by a presidential board.

Americans Halt Japs.
War Department officials explained it was deemed best not to have the defenses of Hawaii under the command of officers involved in the board's investigation.

These announcements were made at the close of a day which saw the war, so tragically begun at Pearl Harbor, brilliantly continued by American forces in the Philippines. There, the Army said, aerial counterattacks upon small Japanese landing parties, and upon hostile ships off the coast had brought the Japanese invasion to a virtual standstill. The day was notable for a complete lack of enemy activity in American-held territories.

The shakeup in the Hawaiian command followed by two days the report of Secretary of the Navy Knox, that the forces in Pearl Harbor were not on the alert when the Japanese attacked on December 7.

In the interim, President Roosevelt appointed a five-man board, headed by Associate Justice Owen J. Roberts, of the United States supreme court, to investigate. It held its first meeting today and planned a second session for tomorrow. It is to proceed to Honolulu shortly.

Stimson Outspoken.

The Navy's announcement made no mention of its unmistakable reason for relieving Admiral Kimmel, but in making known the change in Army leadership, Secretary Stimson said: “These changes were made in view of the preliminary report of the secretary of the navy, with whose views as to the unpreparedness of the situation on December 7 the secretary of war concurs, and to expedite the reorganization of the air defenses in the islands.”

“This action avoids a situation where the officials charged with responsibility for the future security of this vital naval base would otherwise at this critical hour also be involved in the searching investigation ordered yesterday by the President.”

The Navy Department announced the change in command in this statement: “Secretary of the Navy Knox announced tonight that Rear Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, United States Navy, has been ordered detached from his present duty as chief of the Bureau of Navigation, Navy Department, and assigned to duty as commander-in-chief, United States Pacific Fleet, relieving Admiral Husband E. Kimmel.”

“Admiral Kimmel has been relieved of command of the Pacific Fleet by Vice Admiral William S. Pye, United States Navy, com-

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Brief Sketches Of New Leaders In Pacific War

Nimitz Assumes Post as Commander of En- tire Fleet.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—The removal of Admiral Husband E. Kimmel today as commander-in-chief of the Pacific Fleet automatically relieves him, Navy officials explained, from duty as commander of the United States Fleet.

Rear Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, who will become a full admiral upon taking command of the Pacific Fleet, will administer the duties of commander of the United States Fleet as well, officials said, until another commander is designated.

Thus Admiral Thomas C. Hart, chief of the Asiatic Fleet, and Admiral Ernest J. King, chief of the Atlantic Fleet, will be subordinate to Nimitz, as they were to Kimmel.

Nimitz Native Texan.

The fleet commander prescribes standards and methods of training not only for all three fleets, but also for all other seagoing forces of the Navy. When two more fleets are concentrated or when they operate in conjunction with each other, the commander of the United States Fleet is responsible for joint operations.

Nimitz, a native of Fredericksburg, Texas, who now makes his home in Washington, is 56, three years younger than Kimmel, a native and resident of Henderson, Kentucky.

Nimitz saw active duty in the Atlantic during the World War as chief-of-staff and commander of the Atlantic Fleet submarine force. That was followed by a brief period of service in the Office of Naval Operations, after which he became executive officer of the battleship South Carolina.

Navy Personnel Chief.
His most recent sea duty was as commander, Battleship Division 1, battle force, which he undertook in September, 1938, holding the position until he became chief of the Bureau of Navigation June 15, 1939.

As head of the Bureau of Navigation, Nimitz has been responsible for naval personnel in the recent years when the Navy was undergoing its expansion into a two-ocean force.

Kimmel became a rear admiral in November, 1937. In 1939, he assumed command of cruisers of the battle force with additional duty as commander of Cruiser Division 9.

On February 1, 1941, he assumed duty as commander-in-

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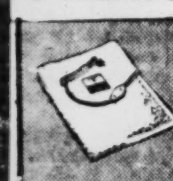
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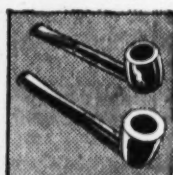
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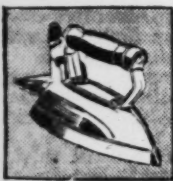
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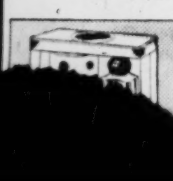
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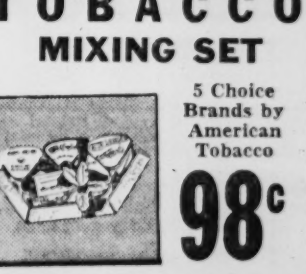
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Hawaiian Debacle May Be Worth Price--Thompson

Awake! U. S. Shouts Writer After Disaster

Easy-Going Attitude Must Be Replaced, She Warns.

By DOROTHY THOMPSON.
Colonel Knox's report puts the best possible face on the Hawaiian disaster. He tells us that "the Navy sustained damage to other vessels," and the damage "varies," that "some" ships already have been repaired . . . and "a few will take from a week to several months to repair" . . . and that the men were brave.

And still it was a disaster, the greatest single disaster suffered by any nation at sea in this war to date. One apprehended it from Churchill's speech uttered before the public here or in England was aware, the speech of a man who had been struck right between the eyes.

Personally, I am sick of the whining about the dastardly Japanese. They were dastardly. Yes. But we are fighting two dastardly foes, and their dastardliness is accompanied by terrible efficiency. Nobility accompanied by downright sloppiness is not going to win the war for noble democrats.

Responsibility for the errors committed will be investigated immediately by a Presidential commission.

Yes, by all means. The American people will want to know why the Navy was not on the alert. They will want to know how Japanese airplane carriers evaded patrols. They will want to know exactly what the patrols were doing. They will want to know the state of armament of the great bombers, which innocently arrived in the midst of the fight, and apparently accomplished nothing. They will want to know what the naval intelligence was doing.

Yet, I suggest that we appoint a commission of the whole to investigate the responsibility for errors

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JAP ONE-MAN TANKS SEE MALAYA ACTION—Japanese soldiers are pictured clustered around a one-man tank used in their war against China. The British

report the Nipponese, who used midget two-men submarines in their attack on Pearl Harbor, are employing these tiny land machines in the Malay Peninsula fighting.

committed and still going to be committed. For our errors are not finished yet.

And I will tell you where the ultimate responsibility lies—for Hawaii, and for everything else.

It lies with us. With the American people. With our kind of mind, our sort of attitude toward life, toward ourselves, toward work, toward rights, and toward responsibilities.

Ideal for Generation.

For a whole generation, the American ideal has been to get as much as it could for as little effort. For a whole generation the American motto has been, "I guess it's good enough." We have admired success, and success has been measured in money returns. We have despised achievement unless accompanied by glamor. The question has not been, "How well done is it?" but "How much does it pay?"

And mediocrity—in high places and low—has been the American dream. To be average, to pursue the middle way, to temper the intellect and work to the common run, to denigrate and debunk the great, to "get by with things," to make pleasure and leisure the aim of life, to indulge in fatuous optimism, to be certain that in some way "everything will turn out all right," and to run screaming after a scapegoat if it didn't.

I accuse you. I accuse the twentieth century American. I accuse me.

We shall not "get by" with our lives. We shall have to work, and fight, on a quite different level, if this nation under God shall survive and have a new birth of freedom.

Let us pay tribute to those among us who have not accepted the philosophy of mediocrity. Let us pay tribute to the efficient and the brave. Let us pay tribute to Colin Kelly.

He, too, was an American. No spirit of "it's good enough" animated the young man of 26 who sank the Haruna. No sentimentality marked the proud testimony of his wife. He died at 26, having

Twins Upset Soldier's Code; Wife's Wire Knocks Him Cold

DETROIT, Dec. 17.—(P)—Private Gaylord Barrows had it all worked out carefully.

If it were a boy, the official communication would read, "We have a new teakettle."

If it were a girl, the wire was to read, "Rosebud has come to our house."

So Private Barrows drilled impatiently at Fort Devens, Mass. It is not easy to keep your mind on "squad right" and "squad left" when at any moment you are due to become a father.

A wire arrived. Private Barrows' companions heard him plop over. They picked up the message he had received and read: "We have a new teakettle decorated with rosebuds."

They poured some cold water over Private Barrows and asked, "What is this?"

"I think it is twins," gasped

accomplished all that a man could hope to do, if he lived to be 90.

He followed the profession of his choice and his training; he was a soldier, who lived to defend America. Not, "if it is not too risky." Just: To defend America.

He sank the Haruna. It cost him his life. His deed will save the lives of unaccounted other Americans.

He left an unblemished memory. His baby son will grow up with the example of his father forever before his eyes and the

pride of his father forever in his heart.

No father can do more for his son. No man do more for his country. No person be truer to himself.

That, too, is American. That is not the American of the last 25 years. That is the eternal American—the American who did not "buy" independence but wrenched it from fate with blood. The American who did not "sell" an idea but thought it and created it. The American who backed a continent out of the wilderness, created the most dynamic political concept of the 18th century, invented the most powerful machines of the 20th century, created, built, worked, loved, fought, died, with casual-tongued intensity and conceived a nation where all could be equal in an equal manliness.

The Army, after decoding it all, decided a leave would straighten out Barrows. It also would clear up the question, Twins or triplets? Private Barrows found out today. He took his wife home from a hospital, together with the twins, David and Diane. The "rosebuds" had been just a flourish, his wife explained, since every woman knows a teakettle would not be decorated with a single rosebud.

The creative organizers of this nation must be called to Washington and if not called they must call themselves. Re-read Shakespeare's "Tired With All These," the 66th Sonnet.

"And folly doctor-like controlling skill, And simple truth miscall'd simplicity."

The secret of democratic efficiency is the mobilization of all free energies, under the leadership of the most creative and dynamic personalities, imbued with the emotion of a common ideal, and consecrated to a common purpose. And what our administration needs in every department are never-relaxed brains, and passionate spirits.

Hawaii is our Dunkirk—worth the terrible price if it jerks this nation to its feet.

Mrs. Marion Clay Dies at Age of 41

Mrs. Marion F. Clay, 41, of 306 Pryor street, N. E., died yesterday at 760 Washington street, S. W.

She was a native of Atlanta and was a lifelong member of the Central Baptist church.

Surviving are her husband and a sister, Mrs. Louise Herndon, of Atlanta.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning, at the chapel of Harry G. Poole, with the Rev. Paul Meigs officiating. Burial will be in the Clay cemetery, in DeKalb county.

Ira Curtiss Matheny, Y. M. C. A. Worker, Dies

Ira Curtiss Matheny, 52, former physical director of the Atlanta Y. M. C. A. and a nationally known figure in Y. M. C. A. work, died yesterday in Pittsburgh, Pa.

He served as physical director here from 1922 to 1924. He had been director of physical education at the Pittsburgh Y. M. C. A. since 1936, and had also served the association in Richmond, Va., and New Haven, Conn. During the first World War he was associated with the Y. M. C. A. at Camp McClelland, Ala.

Walkout of Welders Believed Averted

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 17.—(P)—Possibility of hundreds of welders quitting their jobs at the California Shipbuilding Corporation's Terminal Island yards was minimized late today as the United Welders, Cutters and Helpers reported an agreement on reinstatement of certain discharged employees.

Jack Hardie, spokesman for the independent union, said the company had agreed to take back two welder superintendents and that the way was left open for negotiations on the rehiring of several other union members who had been discharged.

TO ATTEND SESSION.

ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 17.—Dean Donald J. Weddell, Professor B. F. Grant and Assistant Professor A. J. McKellar, of the School of Forestry at the University of Georgia, will attend the national meeting of the Society of American Foresters in Jacksonville, Fla., December 17-20.

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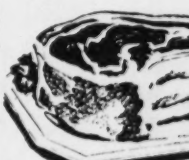
FRESH WHITE CRAB MEAT LB. 50¢

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U.S. Promises Help On Food Prices; 'Supply Plentiful'

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Emphasizing that the nation's food supply was of record proportions, Secretary of Agriculture Wickard said today there was little excuse for any substantial increase in prices of farm products as a result of United States entry into the war.

The department, he said, would do everything in its power to check speculative increases.

Earlier, the department said Japan was well supplied with food and there was little chance of starving her into submission.

To assure plentiful supplies for the future, Wickard said the department was rechecking 1942 food production goals to ascertain whether, in light of the war, greater production appears advisable for any commodity. The goals, which were announced in September, call for a sharp increase in output of meat, dairy, poultry, vegetable and edible oil products.

"The fact that we still have time to revise our production goals for 1942 before planting time begins makes it possible for us to make increases where necessary," he said.

Wickard issued a detailed report on the food supply situation in which he stated that the United States entered the war with the largest total supplies of food in its history.

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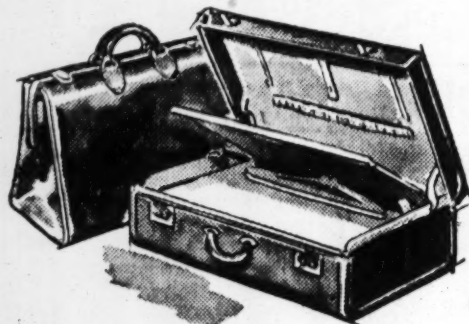
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Next to Rialto Theatre



HELP RED CROSS CAMPAIGN—Mrs. John R. Marsh, better known as Margaret Mitchell, whose story, "Gone With the Wind," gained her a world-wide reputation, now is busy aiding the Red Cross campaign. Here she is shown holding a contribution jar, and completely surrounded by others who have volunteered for the campaign. Mrs. Marsh today will begin calling on schools and appealing to the students to aid in raising Atlanta's \$320,000 quota for the Red Cross. (Story on Page One).

Atlanta Drive For Red Cross Begins Today

Continued From First Page.

pointed as follows: W. A. Volk and Raymond E. Johnson, drugs group; Fred Cannon, bottlers group of the food division; Joe High, Williams, candy manufacturers; Louis F. Barth and Scott Allen, wholesale food group; Edwin Mugford, hotels group; LeRoy C. Petty, paper and boxes group; Rufus Darby, printing and engraving group; Arthur Madison, retail and department stores group; Earl Holden, theater group; George Faust, laundry group.

Police Question Manager in Holdup

Detectives last night were questioning Thomas Cook, 19, manager of an Edgewood avenue 10-cent store, after one of his employees, D. E. Reese, reported he was held up Tuesday and robbed of approximately \$3,000 of store funds. Cook was being detained at police station last night on technical charges of suspicion for investigation after Detective M. M. Coppinger had questioned Hillard Reagan, arrested Tuesday afternoon in his room in Decatur.

Coppinger reported he recovered some \$3,000 in cash and papers at Reagan's home, indicating the money belonged to the 10-cent store.

Reagan, the detective said, admitted under questioning that he had known the youthful store manager for several weeks, and that Cook had loaned him several small sums of money.

Mrs. John B. Russell Dies at Fitzgerald

FITZGERALD, Ga., Dec. 17.—

(AP)—Mrs. John B. Russell, 61, wife of a past commander of the Georgia Knights Templar, died today.

Survivors besides her husband include a daughter, Miss Elizabeth Russell, and a brother, Azarah Graves.

German Experts Broadcast 'Explanation' of Withdrawal

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—(AP)—A variety of explanations of the German withdrawal from the Russian front comes over the German radio.

To one announcer Germany is fighting a "positional war." Another says the front is in "a state of paralysis." A third says weather conditions are hindering the Germans. A fourth explains that "it is sometimes necessary to withdraw soldiers if they have advanced too far."

Fulton Jurors Four Atlantans Nearing End of Rivers Probe

Prominent Persons May Be Indicted, According to Rumors.

The Fulton county grand jury yesterday was nearing the end of its investigation of alleged graft during the regime of former Governor Rivers.

Sensational disclosures said to have been made to the jury will result, it was rumored yesterday, in the indictment of several prominent persons. For almost two months the grand jury has been painstakingly going through a mass of evidence accumulated during a 10-month period and has heard dozens of former employees of the state.

Among those who testified before the jury yesterday were Turner Hiers, who was, during the Rivers administration, employed in the Department of Education and later in the executive office. He also for a time did photographic work for the Highway Department.

Other witnesses were Josh Skinner, former director of information in the State Department of Public Welfare, and Will Riley.

Thomas, born in Brooks county, a graduate of Young Harris College, has been in the Citizens & Southern for 21 years and has served in almost every department of the bank. He is well known to people on the north side of the city, where he has an office at 10th and Peachtree streets.

Hester, in addition to his banking duties, is the city councilman from the First ward. Born in Maun, Ga., he was educated in Atlanta and has been in banking for 19 years, all but three years having been with Citizens & Southern.

Adamson is a native Atlantian, born February 14, 1905. He was educated in Atlanta schools and the University of Georgia.

His banking career began in 1912 when he entered the employ of the Atlanta Trust Company. When that institution was liquidated by the Citizens & Southern he became a member of the trust department staff, where he has served for the past 11 years. He is a member of the Calvary Methodist Episcopal church and resides with his wife and two children at 2408 Club drive.

Civilian Head Names Associate Secretary
Herbert Z. Hopkins, international president of Civitan, yesterday announced the appointment of Charles L. Reynolds Jr. as associate secretary of Civitan International with headquarters in Birmingham, Ala.

Reynolds is a journalism graduate of the University of Georgia. At one time he was in charge of the University news bureau, and more recently has been a member of the advertising staff of the Macon (Ga.) Telegraph.

AQUATIC DELEGATES
ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 17.—Miss Effie Keaster and Miss Blenda Larson, both members of the faculty in the department of health education for women at the University of Georgia, will participate in the National Women's Aquatic Forum in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., December 20 through January 6.

First National Employee Club Aids Red Cross

Bank Workers Launch All-Out Drive for War Funds.

Five hundred members of the First National Bank Club, an association of employees, at a called meeting yesterday voted unanimously for an all-out campaign in behalf of the Red Cross drive.

First action was a call for voluntary contributions, which resulted in a shower of checks and pledges, after which the club decided to dedicate its annual party, to be held December 23, to the Red Cross.

At that time announcement will be made of the total contributions made by club members and by officers and directors as well.

N. Baxter Maddox presided, and speakers were Robert H. Scott, public relations director for the bank; Dr. Pierce Harris, pastor of the First Methodist church, and J. Sherrard Kennedy, vice president, who thanked the speakers and helped in the organization of the club's drive for funds.

John K. Ottley, chairman of the board, and James D. Robinson, president, congratulated the employee organization on its spirit in supporting the Red Cross drive.

Bride, 14, Mate Are Cleared in Superior Court

Charges in Obtaining of Marriage Permit Are Dropped.

Charges of subornation of false swearing against Lois Nelson, 14-year-old bride, and her husband, James Lawton Peacock, in order to procure a marriage license in Marietta last July, were dropped by Judge A. L. Etheridge in Fulton superior court yesterday.

The action came when a witness in the case, Myrtle Boatright, alias Myrtle Bauknight, refused to testify on the ground she had not been tried on an indictment charging alleged false swearing which is pending in Cobb county.

Mrs. W. L. Godwin, a sister of Lois Nelson, was acquitted in the same case of attempting to commit a felony in connection with the same case. Mrs. Godwin was alleged, after causing the Cobb county grand jury to indict Mrs. Bauknight, to have approached her and her father, C. F. Moody, a superior court bailiff, and offered to have the indictment dropped for a money consideration.

The Peacocks were alleged to have had Mrs. Boatright swear to an affidavit that she was the mother of Lois Nelson and consented to her marriage with Peacock.

The couple was married after securing the license.

Buy Bonds, Morgenthau Urges Wage Workers

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—(AP)—The nation's 35 million wage earners must buy as many defense savings bonds as they possibly can afford, Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau said today.

In a prepared address before a national meeting of state defense bond sales chairmen and administrators, Morgenthau said that "token contributions" from the wage earners would not be enough and added:

"I mean a real investment, the very limit that each person can afford without actually taking food and other necessities from himself and family."

Mrs. J. M. Gregory, 75, Dies; Final Rites Today

Mrs. J. M. Gregory, 75, of La Vista road, Decatur, died yesterday morning at her home.

She is survived by two sons, M. H. and M. T. Gregory, and a daughter, Mrs. W. B. Reeves. Funeral services will be held at 12:30 o'clock today at Trinity Chapel, with the Rev. Robert B. Hayes officiating. Burial will be in Riverside cemetery, at Macon.

Atlanta English Club Names Miss Yeagan

Miss Rebecca Yeagan, of North Fulton high school, has been elected president of the Atlanta English Club, organization made up of teachers of English in the high schools, colleges and universities in and around Atlanta.

Other officers named were Prentice Miller, Emory, first vice president; Charles Byrd, Tech High, second vice president; W. T. Dent, O'Keefe, third vice president; Margaret Ridley, Girls' High, recording secretary; Cornelia Cooper, Fulton High, corresponding secretary; and J. B. Greene, Joe Brown Junior High school, treasurer.

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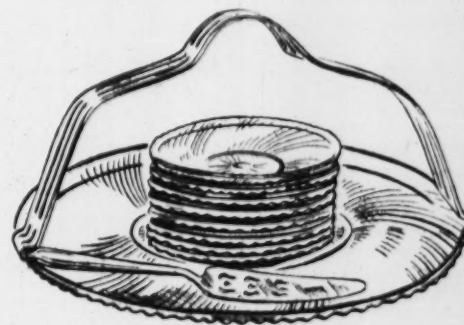
THIS CHRISTMAS THE LOAD ON LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE LINES WILL BE HEAVIER THAN EVER. IF YOU PLAN TO EXCHANGE GREETINGS BY TELEPHONE, WE SUGGEST YOU CALL BEFORE XMAS AND AVOID THE HOLIDAY RUSH.



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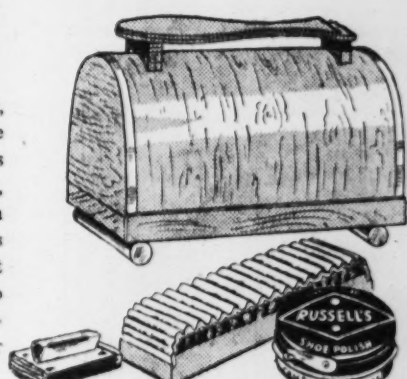
Remove the handle from the big plate ... and use it for flowers, fruits, etc. ... the smaller plates can be used for salads, etc. One of the neatest gift ideas of the season! Crystal ... trimmed with gold or silver.

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Just about the cutest, quaintest gift we've seen! The outfit is complete with Stand, Brush, Polish and even the Applier! Stand has shoe-shaped foot rest and is hollowed out to store polish, etc. Finished in mahogany or maple.



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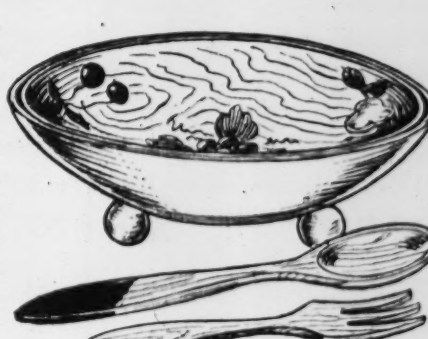
\$3.95

It'll probably be an age before we're again able to get hold of 32-piece sets we can sell for \$3.95! Sets are complete with 6 each of plates, breads and butters, cups, saucers, fruits ... vegetable dish and platter. Pretty floral patterns ... put on under the glaze.

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Running Too Fast, Can't Keep Up With Nazis, Russians Say

By HENRY C. CASSIDY.

WITH THE RED ARMY ON THE MOSCOW FRONT. Dec. 17.—(AP)—Crunching down on the rear of the retreating German army, the Russian steamroller has rumbled forward more than 40 miles beyond the starting point on the flanks of the Moscow front, pushing the invaders back to a distance that means security for the Soviet capital.

Bomber Routs Submarine Off Pacific Coast

Air Force Commended
For Alertness After
Outbreak of War.

SPOKANE, Dec. 17.—(AP)—An airplane of the Second Air Force spotted and attacked a submarine while on sea reconnaissance following Japan's December 7 attack on Hawaii, Major General Harmon disclosed today.

In a formal letter of commendation to his command, the general said:

"I wish to express my gratification for the prompt and active measures taken after the Japanese attack on Hawaii Sunday, December 7.

"Combat units performed with high efficiency and special commendation must be paid to the alertness and promptness of the airplane commander and crew of a squadron in this Air Force in spying and attacking a submarine."

Mrs. Housworth Dies at Age of 45

Mrs. E. H. Housworth, 45, of 661 Gresham avenue, S. E., died last night at a local hospital after a brief illness.

Surviving, in addition to her husband, are a daughter, Miss Virginia Housworth, of Atlanta; three sons, Evan, Jack and Kenneth Housworth, all of Atlanta; four sisters, Mrs. J. E. Stephenson, of Shreveport, La.; Mrs. U. B. Goddard, of Lithonia; Mrs. F. C. Stamey, of Meansville; Mrs. F. M. Grice, of Dillard; four brothers, J. J. Robertson, of Decatur; G. C. and R. O. Robertson, of Lithonia; and J. C. Robertson, of Grayson.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by A. S. Turner & Sons.

Hospital Board to Study Medical School Petition

The Grady hospital board of trustees will consider a petition of the Oglethorpe University medical school for observation and training privileges for its internes at Grady as soon as the medical school is accredited and recognized, it was decided yesterday.

Dr. Frank Eskridge, dean of the Oglethorpe school, filed a formal request that the same privileges be granted Oglethorpe students as are now enjoyed by students of the Emory University school of medicine, but the board took the position that Grady's recognition by the American Hospital Association might be endangered if acquiescence were given to the petition prior to recognition of Oglethorpe by accredited medical agencies.

Good Morning!

For husbands only!

Thoughtfulness in a husband, women tell us, is something to be cherished—especially since it's so rare. For instance, has it ever dawned on you that your wife may still be waiting for that diamond you promised her—when was it, 7 years ago? Why not pay us a visit and select a diamond here for your anniversary gift this year? Every diamond here is tested on the Diamondscope—the only one in Georgia.

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Baby's & \$2.98

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Lifelike baby dolls that cry and sleep like real. Smartly dressed curly top teen-age dolls. 15" baby dolls so real you feed, change and bathe them! Soft "magic skin" dollies. Adorable, all!



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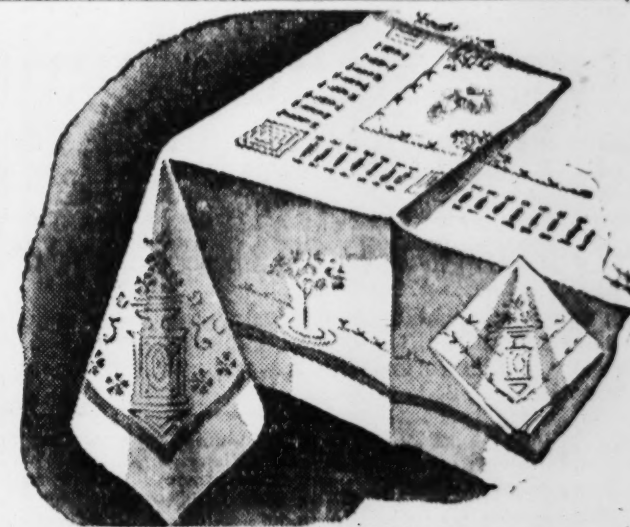
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GIRLS' JACKETS and JODHPURS

\$3.98 JACKETS

Handsome tailored flannel and corduroy jackets to match your jodhpurs! Single and double-breasted styles with fitted backs, patch pockets, brass buttons. Bright red, navy blue, and colorful plaids. Sizes 7-14.

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For young equestriennes! Fashionable, wearable, whipcord jodhpurs with fitted waistline, zipper side fastenings, slash pockets. Brown, tan, green, navy, blue. Sizes 8 to 16.



TOTS' GIFT SUITS

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Give the little fellas a new dainty dress suit! Adorable belted or suspender styles with crisp white blouse and soft pastel pants. He'll love to dress up with a new animal embroidered suit. Pastels in aqua, blue, rose. Sizes 1 to 3.

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BOYS' \$4.98 WOOL MELTON JACKETS

\$3.98

Here's the warm, sporty jacket all the boys are raving about. All-wool, novelty Meltons with the zipper front, sport backs, breast pockets, and warm full lining. Strap or cuff sleeves. Navy blue and two-tone combinations in sizes 8 to 18.



10-Pc. COWBOY SUIT

Sizes 4 to 12! \$2.98

Ride 'em cowboy suit in tan duck or red drill, with vest to match, plaid shirt, hat, gun, holster, kerchief, and lariat.



Indian Suits \$1 to \$1.69

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Navy Officer Suits \$2.98

Soldier and Navy Suits \$6.98

BOYS—HIGH'S STREET FLOOR

Secret Radio Course In Plane Spotting To Be Taught at Tech

Spurred by demands from industry, the Army and Navy for skilled workmen, technicians, explosive, radio and electrical engineers, Georgia Tech is working its equipment and laboratories on a 24-hour basis.

To an already long list of defense activities, the school is preparing to install a new and secret course in January on "ultra high frequency technique"; in other words, the use of short-wave radio to detect airplanes and other objects at a distance.

Dean W. Vernon Skiles said this course would be open only to the top 20 seniors in the Electrical Engineering School.

Little is known about this new device but censor-approved dispatches from England have said that the device is mountable on airplanes and is particularly valu-

able in aiding night fighters in locating the enemy.

These stories have said that the device emits an ultra short radio wave, which when it strikes an object, is reflected back, thus giving the pilot or ground crew the direction and location of the enemy.

The defense courses at Tech are divided into two classes: the secondary level for high school graduates and the college level. Aside from regular students there are 495 men enrolled in the secondary course and 460 in the college level course.

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Real Property Values, Rates Found Static

Annual Tax Survey of Municipal League Lists Atlanta.

Real property tax rates and assessed values in Atlanta and other American cities remained virtually static this year, according to an annual tax survey made for the National Municipal League by Rosina K. Mohaupt, of the Detroit Bureau of Governmental Research, Inc.

The assessed value and total city, county, school and state taxes levied for each \$1,000 of assessed valuation showed the following valuations: Atlanta, \$350,000,000 and \$36; New Orleans, \$496,745,072 and \$39.75; Birmingham, \$182,627,019 and \$36; Savannah, \$60,043,726 and \$50.50; Augusta, \$47,168,921 and \$49.50; Columbus, Ga., \$41,800,000 and \$39.50.

The survey, including 263 American cities, showed the average tax rate has increased only 2 cents per \$1,000 valuation over 1940, and that assessed valuation increased only one-tenth of 1 per cent over the 1940 figure.

While practically no increases were recorded in ad valorem taxes or assessments, the country's taxpayers saw tremendous rate increases in almost all other forms of taxation, the report showed.



JAP PINCERS PUSH IN MALAYA—The black wedges point to the main areas of assault in the Japanese attack on the Malay Peninsula, with Singapore as the ultimate goal. The chief fighting yesterday was along the Muda river on the west side of the peninsula. On the east side, the British were reported holding a line somewhere south of Kota Bharu, coastal air base captured by the Japanese in the early stages of the new war.

Japs' Malayan Drive Nearing Tip of Penang

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may have occurred in the colony of Timor."

It did not say what these events were, but said clarification was being awaited before informing the country fully.

Timor is an island, half Portuguese and half Dutch, lying in the East Indies between Java and Australia.

Sarawak Oil Fields. A Japanese expeditionary force has invaded the rich Miri oil country of Sarawak, British-protected kingdom of the White Rajahs on the northwest coast of Borneo, but has found the refinery and all oil field equipment utterly destroyed by withdrawing British forces. It was announced officially in Singapore.

A Japanese destroyer was hit directly by a bomb from a Dutch plane while supporting the landing, the Netherlands East Indies command disclosed.

"This latest Japanese move completed a vast invasion rectangle in the South China sea, its corners touching the British crown colony of Hongkong, the Philippine island of Luzon, northern Malaya and Sarawak, the last a country of 50,000 square miles, which has been ruled for 99 years by Sir James Brooke and his descendants.

In this rectangle the Japanese were trying for quick knockouts of Allied strongholds, establishment of bases, seizure of important resources and control of the west Pacific sea communication lanes to block Allied reinforcement and co-ordination.

"Enemy landings," said a communiqué of the British Far Eastern command, "have taken place at Miri, Lutong state, in Sarawak, on the northwestern coast of Borneo, from which our detachments already have withdrawn, having completely destroyed the refinery as well as the installations of both the Miri and Jeria oil fields."

Miri, near the British Borneo border at the upper end of Sarawak's 450 miles of coast, is the headquarters of Sarawak Oilfields, Inc., and is the center of a considerable oil development.

In 1939 Sarawak, under the present white Rajah, Sir Charles Vyner Brooke, exported \$8,524,000 in crude oil, mostly to Singapore. In north Malaya, the heaviest fighting raged in the center of the River Muda, which enters the Strait of Malacca about 15 miles north of the west coast island of Penang, about 400 miles above Singapore.

Stress Ominous Lull.

The east coast lighting in the Kelantan area had lulled, but the British said "there is reason to believe that enemy reinforcements are arriving," presumably by sea. It was considered unlikely that the Japanese had as yet been able to join their forces across the jungle-clad peninsula, or that they yet were present in north Malaya in numbers great enough to constitute an imminent menace to Singapore.

Last night's communiqué stressed the rather ominous lull in land action on the peninsula, saying:

"There is nothing further to report from Kedah and Kelantan since the issue of this morning's communiqué.

"No enemy air activity has been reported.

"The RAF carried out reconnaissances over a wide area without meeting any opposition.

"Since the 13th December seven enemy aircraft have been shot down by our AA guns. A further five have been seen to have been hit and were probably unable to return to their bases."

Unofficial estimates placed the

Japanese forces operating from Thailand at two divisions, equipped with light tanks, but having heavy air support. The chief danger at present was considered to be Penang, important British supply base which has been bombed repeatedly and fiercely.

Hongkong's defenders, now under full siege in the island section of the colony, claimed continued ascendancy in the heavy artillery duel raging with the Japanese. Tuesday night's communiqué reported that two enemy gun positions had been silenced, without damage to the British batteries. There were many air raids Tuesday, but the Hongkong AA batteries downed one plane and wounded another.

The latest word from Hongkong, a dispatch at 11:10 a. m. local time today (10:10 p. m. Tuesday, E. S. T.) quoted a communiqué as saying there had been some early morning shelling, with little damage reported, and added: "American reported some."

Dispatches from the Chinese capital of Chungking added these heartening details:

That the Japanese paid dearly for the occupation of the Hongkong mainland, with much mechanized equipment destroyed by British gunfire; that Chinese troops were delivering more successful attacks against the Japanese 28 miles north of Hongkong, causing the Japanese to rush up reinforcements and impress 1,500 Chinese civilians for military duty in the Japanese-occupied city of Canton itself.

Singapore itself welcomed several hundred refugees from Shanghai and other Chinese ports who got here safely aboard a 6,000-ton vessel which was attacked by Japanese planes five minutes after the master had learned of the start of the war.

(There were rather vague reports that the Japanese had captured the Portuguese island colony of Macao, south of Hongkong, but these were vigorously denied in Lisbon).

Japs Gain Little in Borneo

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Sarawak has an area of 50,000 square miles and a 450-mile coastline.

I was in Borneo last year and visited the great oil stations at both Balikpapan and Tarakan, owned by the British Shell Oil Company, but having many Americans on the executive field staffs. Some of those Americans showed me then what was planned in event of successful Japanese invasion.

The case of Balikpapan, on the east coast of Dutch Borneo, is typical. The great storage tanks have been placed on a high hill overlooking the village and the harbor. Each tank is fitted with a series of great dump valves. If Japanese seizure should ever become inevitable, I was told, those valves would be opened and the oil would flow in a leaping cataract to flow around all buildings and shops and film the bay. One match tossed into that sea of oil would make an inferno consuming everything.

Presumably Japan is aware of this situation because Japanese nationals have swarmed the Dutch islands for years and no attempt was made to conceal the fact that the Dutch government and British and American oil interests were preparing against possible invasion attempts.

The wells of Borneo yield 2-725,000 tons of oil a year, but by fire all above-ground reserves would be destroyed before they could be captured, and by such means as bombs dropped down the wells and water turned into the shafts from ready pumps, the entire fields could quickly be rendered useless for years.

The Japanese may suspect there is little chance of their obtaining Borneo's oil by mass invasion from the foothold they have established in British North Borneo, but they may consider that even without its underground treasure the island is well worth fighting for.

Borneo, largest of the Netherlands Indies, is within easy striking distance by air of the Philippines, Singapore and the Dutch archipelago capital of Batavia on Java.

From the coast of Borneo it is only 100 miles over water to the Philippine island of Padawan, which then leads the way be-

tween the China and Sulu seas to Mindora and then Luzon, the queen island on which the capital city of Luzon is situated.

It is only 200 miles from the big Philippine island of Mindanao and the whole route lies over the closely placed islands of the Sulu archipelago.

Borneo to Singapore is only 300 miles, and other 300-mile flights can be made from Borneo to either Java or Sumatra, the latter being the greatest of all the Dutch oil producing islands and where there are large American interests. I have been to those oil properties too and know that they are also destined for destruction by bomb, water and fire before Japan could grab them.

I have flown from Singapore to Borneo and from there to the Philippines and it is a jaunt which can be made without instruments by a capable flyer. There are, however, defenses on all the Dutch islands which are second only to those at Singapore and on Luzon.

When I last visited Balikpapan, which would be one of the major objectives of any mass Japanese invasion of Borneo, the airfield was so small the Douglas transport in which I was flying could barely manage a landing. But we came down over the edge of the jungle onto that field under the machineguns of vigilant anti-aircraft crews even then, and I am informed that airfields and their defenses have been greatly improved in the meantime.

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Welfare Funds Insufficient, Ellis Discloses

Administrator Says He Cannot Recommend Any Slashes.

The Fulton county department of public welfare has funds only to care for 80 per cent of the existing need, according to the first report of Wellborn R. Ellis, new administrator, to be made today to the board of county welfare.

It will be immediately necessary, he said, either to secure an additional appropriation from the county, curtail direct and indirect relief expenditures, or cut down in personnel and lower salaries of existing personnel.

Since the county is caring for only 80 per cent of the total need, Ellis reported he could not conscientiously recommend cutting direct relief expenditures.

The difference between the November expenditures of \$51,680.24 and the anticipated budgetary expenditures for December is \$5,759.01, the report revealed.

An increased cost of special assistance, the report said, is due to the addition of 368 old-age assistance grants to the rolls, necessitating a 5 per cent contribution on the county's part. An increase in the children's division was made necessary, said the report, by the 10 cents per day allotment per child to various institutions.

The report also pointed out the board had added \$3,156.74 in salary increases.

"In the present emergency," Ellis reported, "it is all the more

important that every person capable of work should work. There is a belief by many of our citizens—and I have found, since assuming office, it is true in a few instances—that we are carrying people on our direct relief rolls who are employable. I therefore recommend for the board's consideration, the adoption of the following rule and policy:

"Any person on the direct re-

lief rolls of Fulton county, refusing to accept private or public employment, which he is physically and mentally qualified to perform, and for which the prevailing wage scale is offered, shall be stricken from the rolls after receipt of direct proof thereof by the department of Public Welfare."

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Seamen Vote To Buy \$25,000 Worth of Bonds

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 17.—(AP) Atlantic and Gulf Coast seamen pledged today the purchase of \$25,000 worth of United States defense bonds.

The action was taken by the Maine agents' conference of the Atlantic and Gulf District, Seafarers' International Union of North America, which was held here. The organization is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, and the meeting included guests from all ports from Texas to

Mails, Cables Bring Reports From Pacific

Families Here Continue To Get Good News From War Area.

By letter and cable yesterday Atlantans in Hawaii and the Far East informed their people that they were safe so far from Japanese attack.

"Safe, well, uninjured," read the message from Ensign Jack B. Gordon at Cavite in the Philippines to his mother, Mrs. Sadie G. Gordon, of 906 Briarcliff road.

Air mail letters from Honolulu brought word from Lieutenant John C. DeWitt, U. S. N., to his sister, Miss Edith DeWitt, of 116 West Davis avenue, Decatur, that he and his wife both are safe, though he is at sea and Mrs. DeWitt is working long hours as a nurse in an Army hospital.

Mrs. Elmo Moore, 1952 Brown Mill road, has heard from her son, Ensign Raymond E. Moore, at Pearl Harbor, and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lambert, 767 Lawn street, S. W., have had a letter from their son, Robert Jr., 19, with an aviation crew at Pearl Harbor.

H. J. Hill Sr., of 289 Altoona place, has had a letter from his son, Ensign Henry J. Hill Jr., still safe in his post with the Pacific fleet.

Miss Martha Pope Brown, of 194 Fourteenth street, has received a message disclosing Captain W. A. Willis, Mrs. Willis, the former Emily Magid, and their five-month-old baby are all safe at Honolulu.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Royal have heard from their son, William Albert Royal Jr., with the Navy at Pearl Harbor, and Scott Hughes, son of Mrs. Lucile Hughes, of 816 Kirkwood, S. E., has written her that he came safely through the attacks on Honolulu.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Richards, of 960 Drewry street, have heard from their son, William (like) Richards, with the Navy at Pearl Harbor.

Many still wait word, though the fact they have not yet heard, indicates that their sons are safe.

Among them are Mrs. Florence Deen, 390 North Highland avenue, who has a son, H. M. Griner, with the Navy in the Philippines, and H. C. Beale, 1612 Orlando, S. W., whose son Philip Beale, is in Hawaii, at Hickam Field.

3 Georgians Reported as Killed in War

Families at Rome, Columbus and Thomasville Notified.

SPECIAL TO THE CONSTITUTION. ROME, Ga., Dec. 17.—Robert C. Beard Jr., 17, today was Rome's first reported casualty in the war with Japan, as relatives here were informed the youth was "killed in action."

Beard is survived by his father, Robert Beard Sr., of Covington; one brother, Ralph Beard, of this city, and his grandmother, Mrs. Lella Giles, also of Rome.

Although the notification received by relatives here did not state young Beard was killed in the attack on Pearl Harbor, his relatives said they believed the youth was a victim of the raid.

He was aboard the Pearl, based at Pearl Harbor his brother said. The youth was born in Rome and had spent most of his life here, prior to enlisting in the Navy. He attended the local public schools.

MOTHER NOTIFIED AT THOMASVILLE

THOMASVILLE, Ga., Dec. 17. Thomasville has had its first war casualty. Mrs. Gussie Weeks Purcell was notified yesterday by the Navy Department that her son, Henry Malcolm Purcell, lost his life in the action at Pearl Harbor on December 7. It was requested that details not be revealed.

Mrs. Purcell had known that her son was in the fighting zone and as she had not heard from him since the Pearl Harbor attack, was greatly worried, but only yesterday did she receive definite information about him.

Purcell left here in February after enlisting in the Navy. Three years ago he, with his mother and two sisters, came to this city from Petersburg, Va. He attended high school here where he was a prominent member of the football team. His mother is a native of this section, being the former Gussie Weeks, a sister of Mrs. Alberta Melton and Wayne Weeks, of this city.

COLUMBUS SEAMAN REPORTED AS KILLED

COLUMBUS, Ga., Dec. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Stephenson received a telegram Tuesday from the Navy Department at Washington informing them of the death of their son, George Farned Stephenson, seaman first class, U. S. N., who was "lost in action in the performance of his duty in the service of his country."

Young Stephenson was graduated from the Jordan High school in May, 1940, and joined the Navy three months later.

O. H. Spratlin Heads Panthersville Lodge

O. H. Spratlin was elected worshipful master of Panthersville Lodge No. 543, F. & A. M., to succeed M. A. Rowden at a meeting Tuesday night, it was announced. Other new officers elected were: F. J. Shelton, senior warden; R. L. Gower, junior warden; J. A. Thomas, treasurer; K. L. Vandiver, secretary; M. A. Rowden, chaplain; E. L. Leavelle, senior steward; C. N. Medlock, junior steward; and J. T. Stanley, tyler.

'Twixt the Chin and the Lip There Might Be Many a Slip

BAY SHORE, N. Y., Dec. 17.—(AP)—Joseph Scanbura Jr., a former member of the Navy Militia and proprietor of a barber shop here, placed this sign in his shop window today:

"Free shaves for Japs.
"Not responsible for accidents."

Crash Injuries Fatal To Savannah Resident

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 17.—(AP) Robert Ervin Sr., of Savannah, vice president of the Savannah River Lumber Company, was fatally injured last night when his automobile crashed into the rear of a lumber truck near Spring-

field, Ga. Sheriff Joseph Carr, of Effingham county, said the driver of the truck, Julius Riles, was not held.

Ervin died en route to a hospital here. He was a native of Florence, S. C., but had lived here for 35 years.

Funeral services will be held at Arlington, S. C., Thursday.

McNary Blocks Move To Halt Oil Price Order

28 Senators Sought To Suspend Price Set for Cottonseed Oil.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Senator McNary, of Oregon, the Republican leader, blocked immediate senate consideration today of a resolution by 28 senators to suspend a price control order on cotton seed oil and other fats.

Senator Bankhead, Democrat, Alabama, asked speedy action on the measure, asserting that an order by Leon Henderson, price control administrator, had seen detrimental to farmers and small cotton seed mill operators. The order set the price of cotton seed oil at 12-1/2 cents a pound. Prior to its issuance on December 12, the market price was approximately 14 cents.

Bankhead and others proposed that the price fixing ruling be

suspended pending congressional approval of a price control bill. The Alabama senator said he would seek to call up the bill tomorrow, when it could not be blocked by one objection. McNary asserted that Henderson should be given an opportunity to tell why the order had been issued.

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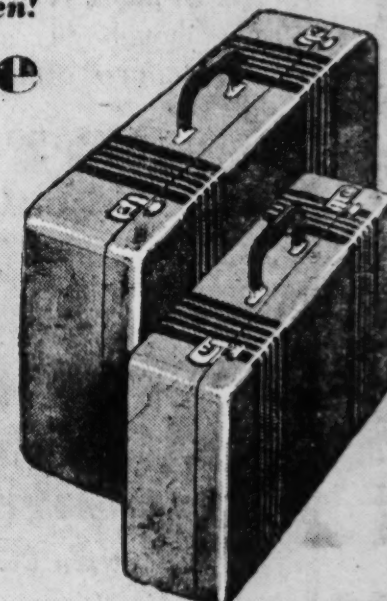
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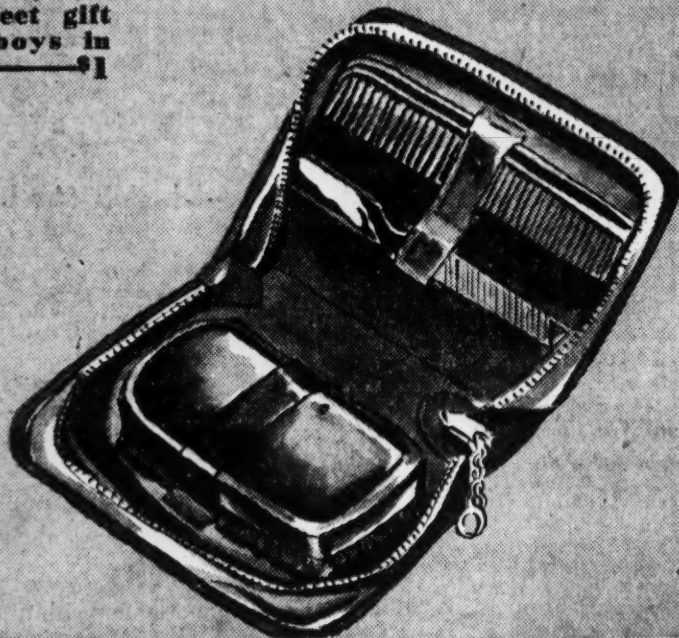
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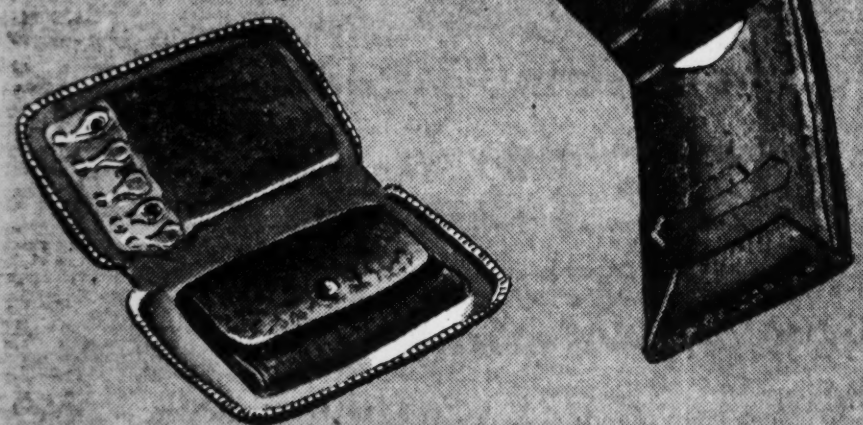
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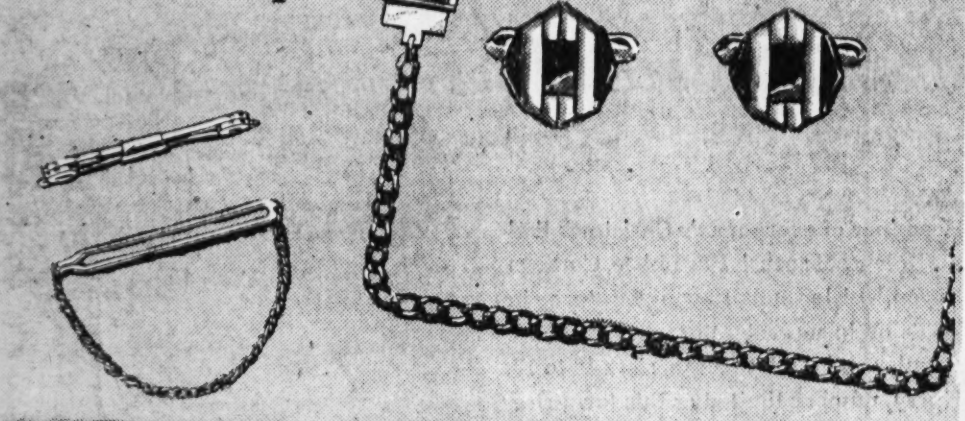
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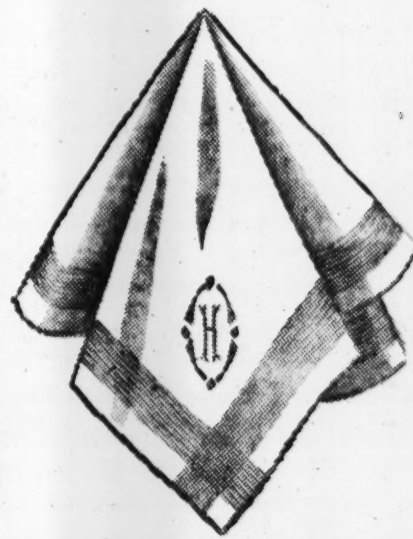
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Judge J. S. Candler's Will Leaves Fortune To Immediate Kin

The will of the late Judge John S. Candler, probated in the Fulton county ordinary's office, left his estate, believed to amount to several million dollars, to members of his immediate family. No provision was made for charitable bequests.

Judge Candler, who signed the will on February 19, 1938, named his grandson, John S. Candler II, as executor without bond, to be paid \$2,400 per year pending liquidation and distribution of the estate. Should it be necessary to appoint a successor to the executor, he named another grandson, Asa Warren Candler, for the post.

The will instructs the executor to await an advantageous time for the liquidation of the property and that it is to be distributed in three parts equally between his wife, Martha Erwin Candler; his daughter, Allie Candler Guy; and the children of his deceased son, Asa Warren Candler, namely, John S. Candler II, Robert W. Candler, Asa Warren Candler, Marguerite Louise Candler and William H. Candler. The third provided for the children of the deceased son is, according to the will, to be divided equally among them.

Pending liquidation, the testator instructed his executor to pay, on the first day of each month, \$1,000 to his widow, Martha Erwin Candler; \$400 to Allie Candler Guy; \$400 to his daughter-in-law, Hattie Lee Candler, to maintain herself and any minor children of his deceased son, Asa Warren Candler.

The will also instructs that the executor, on the first of each month, pending settlement of the estate, pay to each of his grandchildren, John S. Candler II, Robert West Candler, Asa Warren Candler, Florrie Margaret Guy, Marguerite Louise Candler, John Shadler Candler Guy, William H. Candler Jr., J. Sam Guy Jr. and any other that may be born, who prior to the liquidation of the estate has attained the age of 21, the sum of \$100 if not married or \$253 if married.

Harvey To Return To Georgia Prison

Leland Harvey, notorious Georgia escapee, soon will be returned from Alcatraz prison to complete an unfinished sentence in Georgia, Royal K. Mann, member of the State Prison and Parole Commission, said yesterday.

Having completed a term at Alcatraz, Harvey will be brought back to Georgia by Inspector W. D. Burch, who left Atlanta several days ago, Mann said.

Harvey was convicted in 1936 of assault to murder in Floyd county. After serving four months of a 11-to-15-year sentence he escaped from the Troup county gang. Mann added that Harvey also was facing an open indictment charging robbery which is pending in Fulton county.



ANCHORS AWEIGH—Typical of the determined young men who make up Uncle Sam's first naval graduates of the current war are these three who will get top honors tomorrow when the U. S. Naval Academy turns over to the fleet its newest batch of officers. Expressions on their faces seem to say: "We know there's fighting ahead, and we're ready for it." Left to right are Samuel M. Logan, Owensboro, Ky., first honors; Francis Tofalo, West Winfield, N. Y., second; Henry C. Field Jr., Seattle, Wash., third.

WestEnd Men's Club Cares for Needy Family

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the nation in the campaign. Congress re-enacted it.

Primarily, of course, the association looks out after West End interest, but the officers and members know that what benefits the city benefits all, and so the organization concerns itself with the church, school and civic life of the entire city.

"When we give to help an Opportunity family, we don't think of it as charity at all," said President Richard. "It's just giving a lift to a man and it is an investment in the welfare of the whole community."

Members voted unanimously to help the Opportunity families this Christmas. When the motion was put, Ernest Brewer seconded it and among those speaking for it was C. E. Presley, former association president.

Officers of the organization are: Walter L. Richard, president; Fred A. Collier, vice president; Wilmer A. Moreland, secretary; M. McRae Jett, assistant secretary; F. Young Howell, treasurer, and the Rev. E. Nash Bryoles, chaplain.

Past presidents (in order of their office) include: I. L. Falkner (first president), R. Hall Davis, Hewitt W. Chambers, W. W. Whitlington, Charles Babb, R. P. Galt, A. C. Ayers, Ben H. Burgess, A. G. Matthews, J. H. Merritt, Roy D. Warren, George L. Wilson (two terms), F. G. Etheredge and C. E. Presley.

The Constitution, which sponsors the Opportunity families in co-operation with the Family Welfare Society, thanks the West End Business Men's Association and hopes with its members that many families will be rehabilitated in 1942.

Everyone can help rehabilitate needy families by giving to the Opportunity fund. Send a gift today to Hugh H. Trotti, vice president and business manager of The Constitution, who is treasurer of the Opportunity fund. Every cent helps!

Need of Markers On Highway Cited

Although completion of the new four-lane highway between Atlanta and Marietta has failed to eliminate congestion on the old route through the heart of Marietta, the State Highway Department is without authority to put up signs directing southbound traffic to use the new highway, M. L. Shawburn, state highway engineer, said yesterday.

The route has not been designated as a federal route and this can be done only by the American Association of State Highway Officials, Shadburn said. It is possible, he added, for the State Highway Board to make a recommendation, but so far it has not taken up the matter.

Shadburn pointed out the highway department can only put up signs showing the number of the highway, but added it was possible for groups of citizens and civic organizations to erect signs urging that motorists take a specified route.

Opportunity No. 11

Mrs. C., an Atlanta woman who is 39 years old, is a resourceful, hardworking person.

But her husband is ill, and they have an 11-year-old daughter who is in school.

It is because of that ill husband and their little girl that Mrs. C. becomes Atlanta's Christmas Opportunity No. 11 in the annual campaign sponsored by The Constitution in co-operation with the Family Welfare Society.

Mr. C. has been in the hospital for several months, with a bad heart and high blood pressure, and

can do no work for perhaps a long time. He helps around the house, but cannot risk exertion.

So, Mrs. C. has got to be the wage-earner for this family. She has worked before and needs only a "refresher" course of study before she will be able to get and hold a job again. This family owns its own home and the main need right now is money for food and coal, and necessities such as clothing and medicine.

The very minimum to keep this family of three safe while Mrs. C. takes the "refresher" course is \$18 a month. It's a small amount but extremely important right now. Won't you help, by sending a

Slaying in 1919 R. S. Thomson, Enters Trial of Georgia Power Divorce Case

Mrs. Floyd Woodward Says Husband Threatened Her Life.

Mrs. Floyd Woodward, in an unrecanted divorce action in Fulton county of domestic relations before Judge Paul S. Etheridge yesterday, said on the witness stand that her husband threatened to kill her with "the same gun that killed Ed Mills."

Mills, said to have been an associate of Woodward in alleged criminal activities, was slain in a downtown hotel on April 2, 1919, and no one has been convicted for his murder.

Under Georgia law, husband and wife cannot testify against each other in criminal proceedings. Lawyers said it was doubtful if Mrs. Woodward could testify in a murder case against her husband even after she had obtained a divorce. The point, they said, had never been decided by the courts.

Two juries decided issues brought up by Mrs. Woodward in her petition. One jury decided Woodward was a resident of Fulton county. Woodward, now serving a term in the Atlanta federal penitentiary for using the mails to defraud, contended he is a resident of Monrovia, Cal., and only in Fulton county under duress. The other jury gave her a first decree divorce.

Mrs. Woodward is seeking possession of property in Fulton county which she says is owned in fact by Woodward but is held by another.

In her petition, Mrs. Woodward said her husband fled from Fulton county following a raid by the solicitor general on a gambling establishment operated by him. Later, at his insistence, she said, she joined him in Oregon, giving him \$15,000 of her own money.

Autoists Warned On Using Sirens

Warning automobilists that red blinker lights, sirens and short-wave radios on privately owned and operated automobiles are illegal, Assistant Chief G. Neal Ellis, in charge of traffic, yesterday said he has ordered the department to rigidly enforce the law.

Ellis said disregard of the law will put these powerful weapons in the hands of irresponsible and those with a criminal tendency and may become a real hazard to law-abiding citizens.

"When a driver sees a red light flashing or a siren is sounded, he instinctively pulls to the curb and stops," Ellis said. "If hold-up men or others equip their machines with these facilities, the public may suffer. It is a wise law, which should be enforced, and we propose to do it."

Christmas donation today to Hugh H. Trotti, vice president and business manager of The Constitution, who is treasurer of the Opportunity fund?

Inman Park's New Library Dedicated

The new Inman Park branch of the Carnegie library, on Moreland avenue, near Little Five Points, was dedicated formally last night when little Miss Jane DeLoach and Margie Colton unveiled a tablet on the library. The unveiling was preceded by addresses by Mayor LeCraw, Alderman Raleigh Drennon, S. L. Astin, chairman of the library board; W. Joe Scott, chairman of the Community Council, and Miss Fannie Hinton, city librarian.

A musical program was given by the Bass Junior High school band, while the Rev. Duncan M. Hobart offered a dedicatory prayer.

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Imposing Array of Movie Stars Featured in Shows This Week

Rosalind Russell, Bennett Sisters, Walter Pidgeon, Don Ameche and Others Headline Casts in New Film; War Stories Predominate.

By LEE ROGERS,
Motion Picture Editor.

Rosalind Russell, Joan and Constance Bennett, Don Ameche, Barbara Stanwyck, Joan Leslie, Robert Young, Gary Cooper, Walter Pidgeon—these are the stars on celluloid who will act for your pleasure in Atlanta's deluxe theaters beginning today.

Quite an imposing array. The pictures are: "Design for Scandal," a romance of a news photographer and a man-hating woman judge, at Loew's; "Her Enlisted Man," a story of the army in days before war threatened, at the Rialto; "Confirm or Deny," the dilemma of a war correspond-

ent with the greatest beat of the war, at the Paramount; "Law of the Tropics," South Sea heart throb, at the Roxy.

A new vaudeville unit and the film, "Thieves Fall Out," move in at the Capitol tomorrow. "Sergeant York," seen by 50,000 to 60,000 Atlantans last week and doing the biggest Monday business in the history of the Fox theater, is being held for another week at the Fox. "H. M. Pulham Esq." moves from Loew's to the Rhodes for another week.

Rialto.

This morning the Rialto offers a new program, featured by a picture which is unusually apropos at this time. It is "Her Enlisted Man," with Barbara Stanwyck and Robert Young in the principal roles.

It is a story of the American Army, centering about the wilful daughter of the colonel of the regiment and the enlisted man she meets while in Mexico. Circumstance throws them together in as strange a series of adventures as you ever saw. They manage, after thrills galore, to foil the efforts of a gang of enemy agents in this country and, in the doing, stage a romance.

There is comedy in the picture, in which role Cliff Edwards contributes a lot. The picture was directed by Sidney Lanfield. In the cast are Hardie Albright, Ruth Donnelly, Gordon Jones, Henry Kolker.

"Her Enlisted Man" does not, quite, deal with an America at war, but it comes mighty close to that very situation. Short: sub-

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jects on the new Rialto program are highlighted by some newsreel shots of an America very much at war.

Loew's.

Rosalind Russell, recently starring at Loew's with Gable in "They Met in Bombay," turns up again today at the same theater in a light comedy romance which has her as a woman judge, man-hating to the public, but who practices the wiles of femininity in the privacy of her boudoir.

The film, a comedy, is "Design for Scandal," and the man who makes her drop her guard is suave Walter Pidgeon, who puts personality in the smoking of a cigarette. Walter is a news photographer.

Walter's publisher boss, Edward Arnold, is stuck for an extra large alimony fee in Miss Russell's divorce court. She refuses to give him a new hearing. Smooth Mr. Pidgeon is assigned to making love to the woman judge, to trap her into a compromising situation so she will be barred from the bench and a new judge can hear Arnold's plea. As you might surmise, Walter falls in love—but not before, Roz finds out about the plot.

Capitol.

For the last times today the Capitol theater offers "The Night of January 16," thrilling screen mystery starring Robert Preston and Ellen Drew.

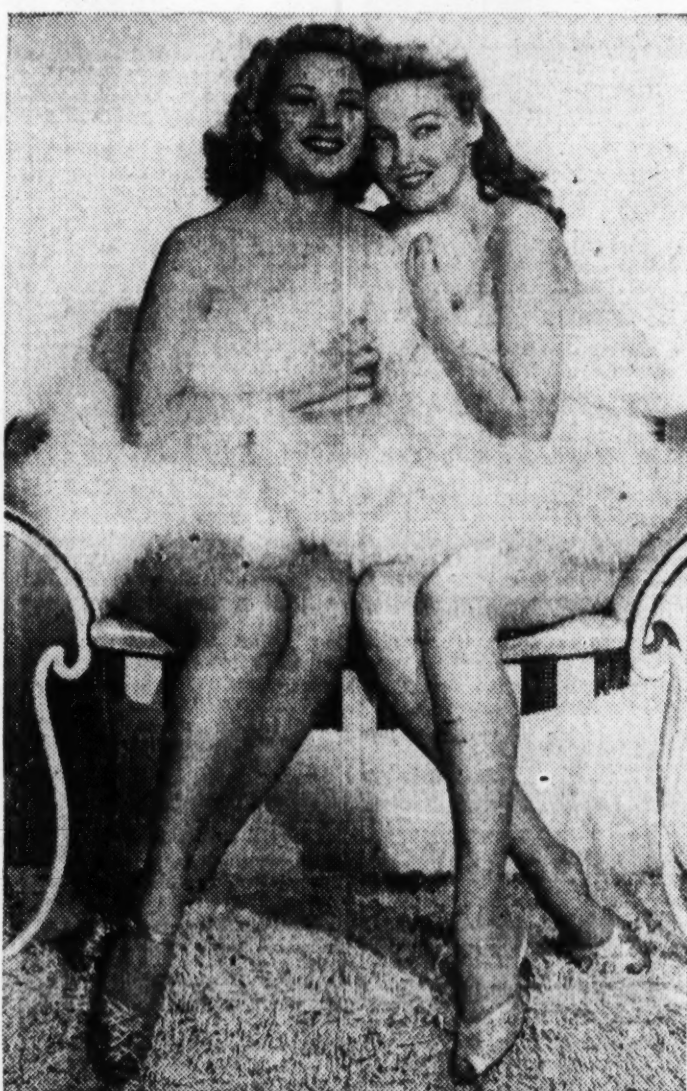
Starting tomorrow the Capitol brings in the new stage revue, "Midnight in Manhattan," which is noted for a large cast of vaudeville personalities and a line of pretty dancing girls. The Manhattanettes. This unit shows together with "Thieves Fall Out," starring Eddie Albert and Joan Leslie, on the screen.

Vaudeville names in this new revue include Billy Wade and Company, the all-American half-wit, John and Depina, the musical maniacs, the Barnette Twins, singers of sweet and hot music; Don Lesley, the singing master of ceremonies; the Los Argentinos, famous South American acrobatic sextette; the Four Mad Hatters in novelty surprises, and a group of others. Music is furnished by an 18-piece stage band.

"Thieves Fall Out," on the screen, offers an appealing comedy of life and its difficulties as it appears to a newly-married couple.

Paramount.

Here's the Battle of Britain from the news correspondent's viewpoint, the man who, despite the falling bombs, must get news back to his American papers and get it fast. "Confirm or Deny" is the



MAKE THE FUR FLY—Girls, a line of them dancing under the name of "Manhattanettes," are featured in the new Capitol theater stage attraction, "Midnight in Manhattan," opening tomorrow. Also featured are the Six Los Argentinos, South American acrobatic sextet.

title, a first-run picture at the Paramount.

Don Ameche is the blustering, tape-cutting correspondent, and Joan Bennett is the comely, teletype operator in the Ministry of Information's office. They meet in a London blackout.

Twentieth Century-Fox has gathered some outstanding character actors to put around the romantic stars, and sets out to show a newspaperman at work without a bar. He works faster than do his liquored movie counterparts, but with the same ultimate success.

Ameche has a leased wire to New York. A carrier pigeon brings him word, during a bombing at-

tack, that Hitler is in a channel port to personally launch the long-awaited invasion of England. No one but the girl and himself are in the office. The censor is cut off by a falling ceiling. The girl fights him to keep him from sending the story on grounds it would give information to the enemy which would tell him England expected the surprise attack. The film has a quick ending.

Roxy.

Constance Bennett and Jeffrey Lynn are romantic co-stars in the new Warner Brothers South Seas offering, "Law of the Tropics," which opens today at the Roxy theater for one week.

This is a love story in the sultry atmosphere of a rubber plantation. Lynn is a young planter who, while heading for the coast to meet his fiancée from the States, learns she is already married. He stops off in a waterfront dive where he meets a singer, Miss Bennett.

Adding to the plot are Mona Maris, Regis Toomey, Hobart Bosworth. Ray Enright directed the screen story adapted from a book by Alice Tisdale Hobart.

Fox.

"Sergeant York," which features Gary Cooper in a portrayal of the title role that bids well to win him

the Academy Award for male acting in 1941, will hold over for another week at the Fox.

"Sergeant York" is the story of Alvin York, the Tennessee mountain boy who became the dough-boy hero of the first World War. The film largely deals with his life in the mountains and the reasons that made him object to fighting in the war which made him a hero. Joan Leslie plays the girl who became his wife.

York's capture of more than 100 prisoners single-handed is also shown, presented in a manner to bring laughs.

Rhodes.

"H. M. Pulham, Esq." has been moved from Loew's to the Rhodes theater for another week. Stars are Robert Young, Hedy Lamarr and Ruth Hussey, supported by Charles Coburn, Fay Holden and Van Heflin.

The story concerns the romance of a working girl and a Back Bay Boston socialite, and how, when he marries Miss Hussey, a girl in his class, the love and memory of the girl the barriers made him leave behind endures for 20 years in the mind of Young. Then the lovers meet and try to recapture the old fire that memory has held dear to them both.

\$98,993 in Food Stamps Sold Here

During November Atlanta families participating in the Surplus Marketing Administration's food stamp program spent approximately \$98,993 in blue and orange food stamps. L. J. Cappelman, regional director of surplus marketing, announced yesterday. Blue stamp purchases in the city amounted to \$38,676, and the balance of \$60,317 represented orange stamps bought from the local stamp-issuing office.

According to the statistics, blue stamps were used to buy \$7,354 in pork products, 4,873 pounds of butter valued at \$1,879.44, 12,812 dozen eggs worth \$5,248.88, flour, meal and grits valued at \$14,800.82, potatoes and fresh vegetables worth \$6,733, and raisins, prunes, oranges, apples and pears worth \$2,617.98.

COTTON VOTES.

ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 17.—Clarke County Agent D. L. Branyon has announced that of 272 votes cast in the recent cotton marketing quota balloting in this county, 268 voted in favor of the quota system with four recording votes against it.

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Living Cost Gain Shown in Report

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(P)—Labor Department statisticians reported today that living costs of moderate-income families rose 0.7 per cent from October 15 to November 15.

No figures were available on changes in living costs since the United States entered the war, but from the outbreak of war in Europe to November 15 the average increase in living costs was 11.8 per cent. This brought the index of cost of goods purchased by wage earners and lower-salaried workers to the highest point since December, 1930.

For large cities the percentage of increase, average of all items, was given as: Boston, 1.4; Buffalo, 0.8; New York, 0.6; Balti-

more, 0.8; Savannah, 0.4; Washington, D. C., 0.1; Birmingham, 1.5.

BOY INJURED.

ELBERTON, Ga., Dec. 17.—Fifteen-year-old Harold Greenway threw a lump of coal into the grate at his home here. It exploded and a solid substance hit him in the eye. At the hospital the eye was removed and with it the shell of a .22 rifle cartridge.

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FOX—"Sergeant York," with Gary Cooper, Walter Brennan, Joan Leslie, etc., at 1:11, 3:04, 4:57 and 9:20. Popeye Cartoon, News: "War."
LOEW'S—"Design for Scandal," with Rosalind Russell, Walter Pidgeon, etc., at 11:10, 1:03, 3:20, 5:25, 7:30 and 9:35. Shorts: "Night Before Christmas" and "Tell-Tale Heart." News: "Navy Chief Tells About Hawaii Attack."
PARAMOUNT—"Confirm or Deny," with Don Ameche, Joan Bennett, etc., at 11:47, 1:47, 3:47, 5:47, 7:47 and 9:47. Shorts: "Terry Toon Cartoon" and "Ging Place." Also musical short, "Rhodes." H. M. Pulham, Esq., with Hedy Lamarr, Robert Young, etc. News and shorts.
ROXY—"Law of the Tropics," with Constance Bennett, Jeffrey Lynn, etc., at 11:47, 1:47, 3:47, 5:47, 7:47 and 9:47. Shorts: "Doing the Town" and Novelty, "Beauty and the Beast."
RIALTO—"Her Enlisted Man," with Barbara Stanwyck, Robert Young, etc., at 11:40, 1:40, 3:40, 5:40, 7:40 and 9:40. News and shorts.
CAMEO—"Double Cross" and "Underground."
CENTER—"Navy, Blue and Gold," with James Stewart.

Night Spots
ANSLEY HOTEL—Rainbow Roof—Benny Strong and His Orchestra, dancing from 7:30 to 10 p.
HENRY GRADY—Paradise Room—The Korn Kobblers and the O'Neils, circus acrobats. Dancing nightly from 7:30 until midnight.
ATLANTA BILTMORE—Ken Harris and His Orchestra; Joe Deaton, vocalist. Dancing nightly from 7:30 o'clock.

Neighborhood Theaters
ALPHA—"Virginia City" and "Father Steps Out."
AMERICAN—"Caught in the Draft," with Bob Hope.
AVONDALE—"Navy Blue and Gold," with James Stewart.
BANKHEAD—"Shepherd of the Hills," with John Wayne.
BROOKHAVEN—"Hunt," with Walter Pidgeon.
BUCKHEAD—"Adventures in Washington," with Herbert Marshall.
CASCADE—"Here Comes Mr. Jordan," with Robert Montgomery.
COLLEGE PARK—"Shepherd of the Hills," with John Wayne.
DECATUR—"The Lady From Cheyenne," with Loretta Young.
DEKALB—"Our Wife," with Melvyn Douglas.
EAST POINT—"The Lady From Cheyenne," with Loretta Young.
EMORY—"Kiss the Boys Goodbye," with Martin.
EMPIRE—"Reaching for the Sun," with Joel McCrea.
EUCLID—"When Ladies Meet," with Joan Crawford.
FAIRFAX—"Parachute Battalion," with Robert Preston.
FAIRVIEW—"The Bride Came C. O. D.," with James Cagney.
FULTON—"The Prisoner of Zenda," with Ronald Colman.
GARDEN HILLS—"Whistling in the Dark," with Red Skelton.
GORDON—"Ladies in Retirement," with Ida Lupino.
GROVE—"Moon Over Burma," with Dorothy Lamour.
HANGAR—"Blood and Sand," with Tyrone Power.
HILAN—"Ziegfeld Girl," with all-star cast.
KIRKWOOD—"She Knew All the Answers," with Joan Bennett.
LITTLE 5 POINTS—"The Westerner," with Gary Cooper.
PALACE—"Min Hunt," with Walter Pidgeon.
PEACHTREE—"Wild Man From Borneo," with Wallace Beery.
PLAZA—"Smiling Through," with Jeanette MacDonald.
PONCE DE LEON—"This Woman Is Mine," with Franchot Tone.
RUSSELL—"Aloma of the South Seas," with Dorothy Lamour.
SYLVAN—"Bringing Up Baby," with Cary Grant.
TELEWOOD—"Sis Hopkins," with Judy Canova.
TEMPLE—"Navy Blue and Gold," with James Stewart.
TENTH STREET—"Ladies in Retirement," with Louis Hayward.
WEST END—"Tom, Dick and Harry," also double feature.

Colored Theaters
81—"The Quarterback" and "Michael Shayne Detective."
ASHBY—"Flame of New Orleans," with Marlene Dietrich.
HARLEM—"Trailing Double Trouble" and "Lone Wolf Keeps a Date" and "Leather Pushers."
ROYAL—"Highway West," with Willie Best.
STRAND—"Undercover Doctor" and "Winners of the West."

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Savannah Blackout Test Is Termed 98 Per Cent Perfect

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 17.—Savannah had its first blackout here last night—a 30-minute test ordered officially and carried out without disturbance.

Officials were high in praise of the co-operation given by citizens, who previously had been given details of when the blackout was to come.

Extra police, air raid wardens, and state guardsmen patrolled the streets, most lights in the business district and residential sections went out promptly. Some homes waited for the alarm of sirens as a warning. Only police safety cars were allowed to move about the city.

Air raid officials said the co-operation was perfect. The official rating of the blackout was given by Captain Stephen N. Harris, chairman of the preparation for blackout committee of the Savannah-Charleston County Defense Council, who declared it to be 98 per cent perfect. The test was held on instructions from the Third Interceptor Command.

Blackout tests were also held in

Charleston, S. C., and Wilmington, N. C.

Georgia Bombing Possible, Job Warns

By LUKE GREENE.

Bombs dropping along Georgia's coast was held as a likely possibility yesterday by Lieutenant Colonel Richard C. Job, director of the State Council for National Defense, as he emphasized the necessity for civilians to wake up to the task confronting them in preparation.

Pointing to a map sprawled across his desk, Job said he did not think it was out of the question at all for Hitler to send planes to bomb the Georgia coast.

"It might be nothing more than a suicide squad," Job went on. "The Germans might not have any hope of getting back, but think of what it would do to our morale."

Better Off Here.

"And if the pilots of these planes managed to bail out or land, they probably would be taken care of better than they

would in their own country. Of course, they would be prisoners of war and would be treated as such, but it might not be hard to convince them to try such a venture, since they might figure they would be better off here than they would in Germany."

Job admitted that he had been called an "alarmist" in many parts of Georgia where he has been organizing local councils for national defense. At the same time, he said, many Georgians who doubt him at first are beginning to remind him that his predictions came true.

The defense director also point-

40 Agencies Discuss Georgia Defense Today

Representatives of about 40 federal and state agencies useful in some instances, vital—in the event of air raids or war disasters, will plan today effective means to go into action throughout Georgia. They will meet at 10 o'clock this morning in the senate chamber of the capitol under a plan

evolved by Francis Shurling, director of the federal Office of Government reports, the statutory liaison officer between the federal and state governments. Each agency will determine what state group to deal with, once a comprehensive plan has been completed by the State Defense Committee.

State Defense Corps.

A guarded statement concerning new dispositions of the State Defense Corps was issued late yesterday by its commander, Colonel Lindley W. Camp. It read:

"Acting upon information and suggestions of Army officers, there has been a rearrangement of many of the State Defense Corps units on duty throughout Georgia. Some of the units have been relieved and other units called to replace them."

"The Army command has expressed much admiration for the very efficient manner in which the corps is conducting itself in this duty, and I am pleased at the patriotic and efficient work they are doing."

Decision Due Today.

Basil Stockbridge, representing the State Defense Committee, and Colonel Richard C. Job, of the State Defense Council, will determine today with Shurling how much of an organizational plan of defense is to be adopted. At the request of Chairman Hughes Spaulding, will be employed by the committee.

A disposition to rely mainly on the setup of the State Defense Council, which Shurling termed inadequate, was expressed by Spaulding, Robert Troutman and Erle Cocke, the other existing members of the State Defense

Committee's central controlling group.

Shurling's project would extend the State Defense Council forces to provide for all Georgia counties the eight essential services declared by Colonel Irvine Belser, of the Office of Civilian Defense, to include air-raid warning, air-raid wardens for each 500 population, auxiliary fire and police duty, emergency medical service and maintenance of public works, public utilities, transportation and communication.

No Legal Difficulties.

Both Spaulding and Troutman said there would be no difficulty about "legally implementing" orders of the air-raid protection officials. Stockbridge suggested "an organization with hair on its chest" headed by a provost marshal general, but it was ruled there was no need for martial law. Colonel Belser told the conference the Governor had promised to give whatever powers were needed.

In other quarters it was announced late yesterday that 3,500 Atlantans had signed up for emergency service in the first three days of registration at the 246 Peachtree street headquarters.

Employers of large groups will be supplied registrars, it was announced by Mrs. Green Warren, chairman. This system already has been put into effect satisfactorily, she said.

Among groups volunteering in a body was the Atlanta division of the National Fraternal Association of the Deaf. They will be especially serviceable, officials said, in first-aid. E. C. Warren, 125 Holiday avenue, N. E., secretary, led the group.

At the City Hall

Clarke Donaldson, city chief of construction, yesterday announced that work of razing the old Jones avenue bridge, closed as unsafe to traffic for more than a year, will begin this morning. He expressed hope federal officials will reconsider and award the contract for building a new structure since the wrecking will cut the overall cost by about \$10,000.

Mayor LeCraw will speak on defense at a meeting of the North Atlanta Civic League at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night at Hemphill and Tenth street, C. L. Reagan, president, announced yesterday.

Cliff Skipper, veteran clerk in the Atlanta waterworks department, may help balance the national budget and finance the war. Several days ago, he wrote Senator George suggesting the price of postage be advanced, allowing patriotic Americans to buy stamps of larger denomination to swell postal receipts. Yesterday the senator wrote Skipper the suggestion has been turned over to proper authorities. The new stamps would be known as defense stamps.

Preliminary steps looking towards an investigation of the conduct of Grady hospital will be taken at a meeting at 6 o'clock tonight at Grady hospital. Councilman J. Allen Couch is chairman of the probe body.

T. Elton Drake, chairman of the city planning commission, will be host at a dinner for members of the commission at 7 o'clock tonight at the Piedmont hotel. Plans will be laid for next year's activity.

Because Christmas falls next Thursday, the meeting of city council's police committee has been advanced to 7:30 o'clock next Monday night. Alderman G. Dan Bridges, police committee chairman, announced yesterday.

Births

The following births were recorded yesterday in the health office at the city hall:

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Allen, 785 Tugmin street, N. W., daughter; Mr. and Mrs. H. Mitchell, Decatur, Ga., son; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gardner, 1181 McAdams avenue, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Russell, 929 Mt. Airy drive, S. W., daughter; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Padgett, 183 North Emory road, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Dickinson, Kimball house, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Barfield, 825 Oak street, S. W., daughter; Mr. and Mrs. N. Adelman, 88 Parkway drive, daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Pirkle, 1391 Gordon street, son.

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Fulton Group Begins Drive To Sell Bonds

County-Wide Campaign To Be Carried Into All Stores.

Moving to intensify the effort to sell defense savings bonds and stamps "to provide the money which the government needs immediately, now that we are actually at war," members of the Fulton County Defense Bond and Stamp committee launched their campaign at a luncheon at the Capital City Club yesterday.

Chairman William K. Jenkins urged the 16 committee chairmen attending the luncheon to redouble their efforts and put all information concerning stamps and bonds "into the hands of the largest number of people in Fulton county in the shortest possible time."

The committee urged all stores, including neighborhood drug stores, movie theaters and hotels, to make defense stamps available in their neighborhood by purchasing a supply of each of the different denominations and a supply of albums.

"Those who are in the armed forces are giving up everything for the defense of our country," declared Co-Chairman Raymond A. Kline. "Those of us who are at home can do no less than give our efforts and our money to the support of those who must do the fighting."

Committee chairmen attending the meeting were Baxter Maddox, speakers' committee; Charlie Matthews, city, county, state and federal employees; Jere Wells and Willis Sutton, joint chairmen of the educational group; Albert Gossett, chairman of American Federation of Labor division; Miss Lucy Randolph Mason, representing Mr. Gillman, chairman of the CIO; Sid Truitt, farm organizations and 4-H Club; Lon Livingston, postoffice and allied groups; Dr. Louie D. Newton, evangelical Christian churches; Monsignor Joseph E. Moylan, Catholic church group; J. Arch Avery Jr., banking group; O. C. Hubert, Junior Chamber of Commerce; Mrs. Turner Smith, women's organizations; Oby T. Brewer, retail merchants.

Children To Offer Christmas Program

A special Christmas program will be presented by the children of Christ the King school Sunday evening at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium. Children of the first and second grades will take part in the program as well as the sixth and seventh grade pupils.

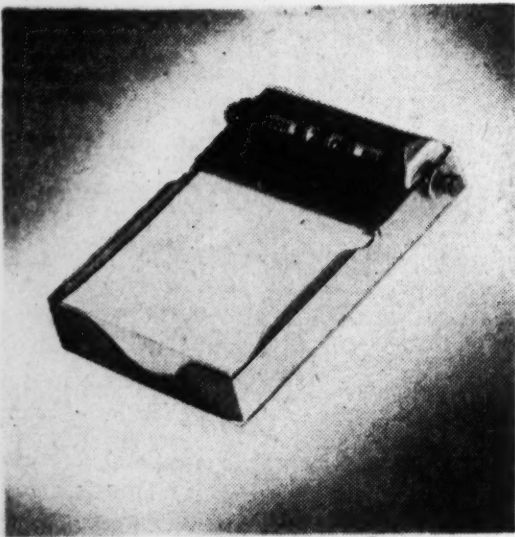
The program will open with a chorus featuring the voices of the students in the higher grades. Children taking part in the presentation are: Edwin Schafer, James Merkle, Josephine Kane, David Carley, Vincent Daley, Virginia Englett, George Gunning, Joanne Wrigley, John Nee, Betty Mitcham and James Taylor.

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SUGGESTIONS FOR SANTA—The Fulton county committee for the sale of defense savings bonds and stamps launched at a luncheon at the Capital City Club yesterday its campaign to sell Santa Claus on the idea of giving "a share in America" by giving defense bonds and stamps. Examining one of the campaign posters are William K. Jenkins, committee chairman; Raymond Kline, co-chairman; Arch Avery, state chairman of salary allotments, and Jere Wells, representing the schools.

The Life of Our Lord

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to plot for betraying Christ into the hands of the chief priests.

Triumphal Entry. The Feast of the Passover now drawing very near, Jesus Christ, with His Disciples, moved forward toward Jerusalem. When they were come near to that city, He pointed to a village and told two of His Disciples to go there, and they would find an ass, with a colt, tied to a tree, which they were to bring to Him. Finding these animals exactly as Jesus had described, they brought them away, and Jesus, riding on the ass, entered Jerusalem. An immense crowd of people collected round Him as he went along, and throwing their robes on the ground, and cutting down green branches from the trees, and spreading them in His path, they shouted, and cried "Hosanna to the Son of David!" (David had been a great King there.) "He comes in the name of the Lord! This is Jesus, the Prophet of Nazareth!" And when Jesus went into the temple, and cast out the tables of the moneychangers who wrongfully sat there, together with people who sold doves; saying, "My Father's house is a house of prayer, but ye have made it a den of thieves!"—and when the people and children cried in the temple, "This is Jesus, the Prophet of Nazareth," and would not be silenced—and when the blind and lame came flocking there in crowds and were healed by His hand—the chief priests, and Scribes and Pharisees were filled with fear and hatred of Him. But Jesus continued to heal the sick, and to do good, and went and lodged at Bethany; a place that was very near the city of Jerusalem, but not within the walls.

One night, at that place, He rose from supper at which He was seated with His Disciples and, taking a cloth and a basin of water, washed their feet. Simon Peter, one of the Disciples, would have prevented Him from washing his feet; but Our Savior told him that He did this in order that they, remembering it, might be always kind and gentle to one another, and might know no pride or ill-will among themselves.

Then He became sad and grieved, and looking around on the Disciples said, "There is one here who will betray me. They cried out, one after another, 'Is it I, Lord?' 'Is it I?' But He only answered, 'It is one of the twelve that dippeth with me in the dish.' One of the Disciples, whom Jesus loved, happening to be leaning on His breast at that moment listening to His words, Simon Peter beckoned to him that he should ask the name of this false man. Jesus answered, 'It is he to whom I shall give a sop when I have dipped it in the dish,' and when He had dipped it, He gave it to Judas Iscariot, saying, 'What thou doest, do quickly.' Which the other Disciples did not understand, but which Judas knew to mean that Christ had read his bad thoughts.

So Judas, taking the sop, went out immediately. It was night, and he went straight to the chief priest and said, 'What will you give me if I deliver Him to you?' They agreed to give him thirty pieces of silver; and for this he undertook soon to betray into their hands his Lord and Master, Jesus Christ.

(To Be Continued.)

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INJURIES FATAL. ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 17.—Word has been received here of the death in Charleston, S. C., of Harvey Spinks, brother-in-law of Mrs. H. E. Stephens, of this city. Mr. Spinks died from injuries received in an automobile accident.

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Most Georgia Employers Aid Defense Corps

Companies Keep Jobs Open for Workers Called to Duty.

Most Georgia employers, but not all, are co-operating with the State Defense Corps by assuring preservation of jobs and pay to members of the corps called to active duty.

Termining it "a patriotic example," Colonel Lindley W. Camp, corps commander, yesterday made public a bulletin of the Georgia Power Company assuring this protection to its 200 employees enrolled as corpsmen.

"In the main the situation is satisfactory," Colonel Camp said. "We are working out most of the difficulties which have arisen. For the present we will not make public names of employers concerned."

Units of the corps went on guard duty immediately after word of the attack on Pearl Harbor, and the entire organization was put in active service by gubernatorial proclamation.

An undisclosed number, said to be a considerable part of the force, now is maintaining 24-hour guard over points throughout the state described by Army officers as "sensitive and vital."

SELECTIONS CALLED.

VIDALIA, Ga., Dec. 17.—A call for 14 selectees from the local board of Toombs county has been received by Nat Hanna, clerk, and 10 white men will be ready for induction on January 9 and 4 Negroes will be called for induction on January 12. There has been no quota assignment for December for men from Toombs county.

11,303 Enlist in Navy In 8 Days After Attack

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Enlistment of 11,303 men in the Navy in the eight days immediately following the Japanese attack on Hawaii was announced by the Navy today as "indicating the response of the nation's man power to the threat against the nation."

Camden Launches Cruiser Columbia

CAMDEN, N. J., Dec. 17.—(AP)—Without any special ceremony, the 10,000-ton light cruiser Columbia was launched today at the Camden yards of the New York Shipbuilding Company.

The sponsor was Miss Jean Adams Paschal, 16, of Columbia, S. C. She was accompanied by her parents, Acting Mayor and Mrs. Gary Paschal, of Columbia.

The Columbia, to be commissioned for service next year, is one of 32 light cruisers now under construction. She is a sister ship of the Cleveland, launched here November 1. Cruisers of this class are equipped with 15 six-inch guns and eight five-inch guns, and carry eight airplanes.

Braden Is Nominated

Ambassador to Cuba

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Spruille Braden, now ambassador to Colombia, was nominated by President Roosevelt today to be ambassador to Cuba.

Braden, a 47-year-old New York financier and a native of Elkhorn, Mont., would succeed George Messersmith, recently transferred from Havana to the ambassadorship at Mexico City.

STORE HOURS. GRIFFIN, Ga., Dec. 17.—Griffin merchants announced today that beginning Friday night they would remain open every night until 9 o'clock until Christmas eve.

Dr. Mrs. Myers To Lecture Here

Dr. and Mrs. Garry Cleveland Myers, nationally known editors and educators, will speak at the Druid Hills Presbyterian church at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night. Their subjects will be "Family Tensions and Conflicts" and "Trying To Be a Christian at Home."

Dr. Myers is editor-in-chief of Children's Activities, a magazine for children published in Chicago, and Mrs. Myers is associate editor. They are joint authors of many books and articles for scientific journals. Dr. Myers writes a daily syndicated newspaper column for

parents, reaching about 3,000,000 homes in the United States and Canada.

Both have traveled extensively in Europe and North America and have taught children and youths at every level from the first grade to the university. They served on the teaching staff of Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio, for a number of years.

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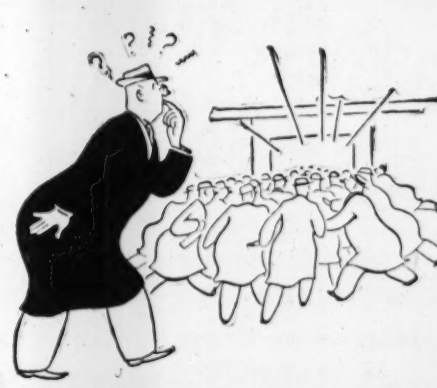
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CHRISTMAS PAGEANT—More than 90 students will take part tonight in an impressive and beautiful Christmas pageant to be presented at North Fulton High school. The angels and the shepherd are shown in the Annunciation scene.

AROUND Atlanta

WITH THE CONSTITUTION STAFF

N. Baxter Maddox, vice president and trust officer of the First National Bank, will speak on "Modern Estate Planning" at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon at the monthly luncheon meeting of the Atlanta Life Underwriters' Association in Rich's tearoom.

"Grandpa's Twin Sister," a three-act comedy, will be presented by the Dramatic Club of the Young People's Department of St. Mark Methodist church at 8 o'clock tonight in the Sunday school auditorium, at Peachtree and Fifth streets. The proceeds of the play, sponsored by the H. Warner Hill class, will be used for Christmas charity.

W. H. Broadnax was installed as worshipful master of the Stone Mountain Lodge No. 449, F. & M. M., Monday night. Other officers are M. R. Medlock, W. D.

Parris, T. S. Wells, W. P. Humphrey, J. K. Brinkley, P. H. King, L. E. Jolly, R. A. Fuss, C. D. Wade and G. W. Harper. Retiring Worshipful Master W. E. Sexton was presented a Masonic ring.

Bank clearings yesterday were \$20,000,000, compared with \$18,200,000 for the corresponding date last year, the Atlanta Clearing House Association reported.

Christmas party for Decatur and Atlanta children will be given this afternoon by the Agnes Scott Christian Association. Classes will be suspended tomorrow at noon for the holidays, with work being resumed on January 6.

City Slickers of the DeKalb Chamber of Agriculture and Commerce will meet at the home of Hugh Howell, near Tucker, at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night. Enter-

tainment program includes an "I. Q." test to be given all guests. Men in the club will prepare the refreshments.

Candlelight service will be held in Room 1120 of the Mortgage Guarantee Building at 7:30 o'clock Sunday night by the Atlanta Unity Center.

Decatur Civitan Club will meet at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Candler hotel. Mrs. H. H. Harris, of the Fernbank Forest Association, will be principal speaker.

Decatur Rotary Club yesterday voted to forego their annual Christmas party and instead to contribute \$100 on behalf of the club to the American Red Cross.

Henry E. Fulghum Post No. 117 of the American Legion will meet at 8 o'clock tonight in the Hapeville city auditorium. S. A. Chevese, commander, announced.

Members of the class of 1940, Boys' High school, yesterday announced a class reunion dinner to be given at 7 o'clock December 29 in the school cafeteria. R. L. Doyal, athletic coach, will be the guest speaker. Tickets may be obtained at Georgia Tech, Emory Univer-

sity and the Beck & Gregg Hardware Company.

Zach Arnold, grand master of Georgia Masons, said yesterday letters have been sent to President Roosevelt and Governor Talmadge assuring them of the co-operation of Georgia Masons in the war effort following a meeting in Atlanta of the grand lodge officers and past grand masters to work out a program of service for the coming year.

Constitution Want Ads are getters for speedy merchandising results.

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SPECIAL TO THE CONSTITUTION.

LAGRANGE, Ga., Dec. 17.—R.

S. O'Neal mayor of this city for the past 10 years, complimented Richard Hutchinson, retired, member of city council for 12 years, when he was host to members of the council and other city officials at a dinner at his country lodge near LaGrange Tuesday evening. Guests included the 12 present city councilmen, George Sargent, city engineer; J. H. Moss, city treasurer; B. J. Mayer, city attorney; and Hutton Lovejoy, local attorney.

In recognition of his service to the city, and on behalf of the city council, Mr. Hutchinson was presented a silver service, the presentation speech being made by B. J. Mayer. Albert Dunson, superintendent of Dunson Mills, succeeded Mr. Hutchinson in council, when he did not seek re-election.

The Army and Navy in Georgia

Civilian drivers were asked by Lieutenant Colonel C. W. Richmond, motor transport officer of the Fourth Corps Area Quartermaster, yesterday to co-operate with the Army by avoiding cutting into convoys of Army trucks moving through the southeastern states.

"In the present crucial moment troops and equipment will be moving continuously," Colonel Richmond, motor transport officer on the staff of Brigadier General James L. Frink, said. "The only place they can travel is on the highways. It is imperative that the line of trucks move without interruption."

Convoys will be routed whenever possible to avoid large cities and highways bearing heavy civilian traffic. When convoys do have to go through large towns, however, the sections of the line, ordinarily spread out on the highways, will close up to permit fast passage through congested districts.

Civilians were asked not to attempt to cross the convoy line as a safety measure and to speed up the movement of troops.

NYA PROJECT HELPFUL TO FORT BENNING

Since early March the Army post at Fort Benning has saved an estimated \$526 on minor repairs made on 3,619 garments by Negro workers at the Columbus NYA project, Captain Fredrik A. Smith-Petersen, salvage officer, announced yesterday.

More than 150 Negro girls, ranging in age from 16 to 24, have worked on the project. In addition to work done for the quartermaster they have made draperies

for one of the service clubs on the post and are now helping prepare the costumes for a musical show to be staged by the soldiers.

2 GEORGIAN GET WINGS AT KELLY FIELD.

Two Georgians were members of the ninth class of aviation cadets to receive their diplomas and wings at ceremonies at Kelly Field, Texas, last week.

The two are R. C. Snelling and J. A. Lynch. A huge aerial review composed of seven squadrons from Flight Sections 1 and 3 accompanied the ceremonies.

PERSONALS.

Private First Class John I. Thomas, son of Mrs. Yirde Thomas, of Bremen, Ga., was promoted to the rank of corporal at the Turner Field Air Base at Albany.

Second Lieutenant F. R. Martin, Company C, 99th Quartermaster Battalion, Fort Benning, has received orders for transfer to another station. He was an attorney in Atlanta before entering the service in December, 1940.

Eric L. Moore J., of Broxton, Ga., has completed a course in radio at the Signal Corps School, of Fort Monmouth, N. J. Private Moore, the son of E. L. Moore, will return to take up his assignment at Moultrie.

Private First Class Robert W. Daniel, brother of Marvin Daniel, of Hampton, Ga., was promoted to the rank of corporal and is a member of the 94th School Squadron at Turner Field, Albany.

HOME RENTALS CUT NEAR ARMY CAMPS

Home rentals near Camp Stewart are being brought down toward "fair price levels," the Army disclosed yesterday.

In action against "rental war profiteering" similar to that undertaken recently in Macon, Augusta and Columbus, Lieutenant J. S. Magrath Jr., homes registration officer, reported two landlords had agreed to rent reductions.

One landlord with six duplex houses on the outskirts of near-by Hinesville, cut monthly rents on all places 20 per cent, Lieutenant Magrath said, and another agreed to a 10 per cent reduction on a large apartment near Hinesville. Both reductions become effective January 1.

Post authorities expressed hope other landlords in the area would follow the "patriotic example" and similarly reduce rentals.

FORMER ATLANTAN IS HAWAII PROBER.

Major General Frank Ross McCoy, stationed in Atlanta from 1929 to 1933 as commander of the Fourth Corps Area, is one of President Roosevelt's four-member committee named to investigate defense conditions in Hawaii.

Last Rites Today

For Mrs. Purdom

SPECIAL TO THE CONSTITUTION.

BLACKSHEAR, Ga., Dec. 17.—

Funeral services for Mrs. Mollie Purdom, 74, widow of C. T. Purdom, and mother of Lee S. Purdom, Blackshear city attorney, former state senator and representative, who died in a Waycross hospital yesterday afternoon after a long illness, will be held from the Patterson Baptist church Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Officiating ministers will be the Rev. H. L. Dixon, of Patterson; the Rev. C. P. Watson, of Blackshear, and the Rev. A. M. McCool, of Hoboken. Burial will be in the Patterson cemetery.

Survivors are one son, Lee S. Purdom, and four sisters, Mrs. R. M. Futch, and Mrs. Mattie Smith, of Homerville; Mrs. W. L. Crews, of Fort White, Fla., and Mrs. Annie Lockamy, of Douglas.

Mrs. Purdom was a member of one of this section's oldest families, and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Anell C. Smith, pioneer residents of Clinch county. Mrs. Purdom moved to Patterson in Pierce county 50 years ago. She had been making her home in Blackshear with her son for the past nine years. Her husband, who died several years ago, was a former mayor and postmaster of Patterson.

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Sweaters in cardigan, pullovers, classics, novelties, beige, rose, maize, brown, red, blue, black. Sizes 34 to 40.

\$1
each

\$1.39 to \$1.98 HOLIDAY DRESSES

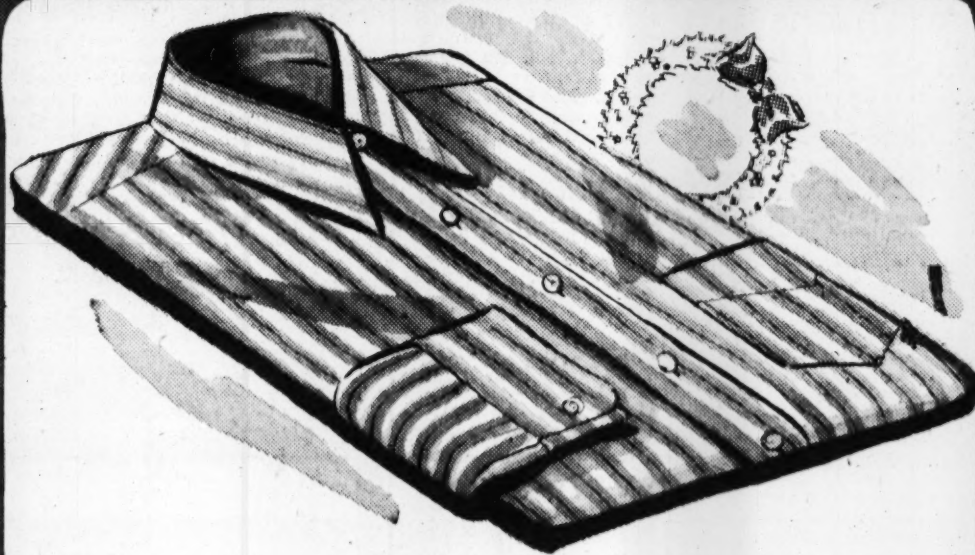
First Quality . . . and some slightly irregular!

Rayons — smart French crepe prints, solid or striped spuns—sizes 9 to 15, 12 to 20, 38 to 44.

Cottons — bright prints or polka dots, slub broadcloth, percale, poplin. 12 to 20, 38 to 52.

Forsyth St. Entrance

\$1
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SALE! Our Regular \$1.55 FINE SHIRTS!

Here's a bang-up value in fine broadcloth shirts—for today only! Shirts of the kinds every man HOPES to get—expertly tailored with pleated sleeves, wrinkle-proof collars, ocean pearl buttons. Newest patterns, all colorfast . . . also plenty of snowy whites. Sizes 14 to 17.

1.19

Broadcloth Pajamas **1.00**

\$1.55 to \$1.98 slight irregulars in notch collar or slipover styles. Solids, patterns, lastex belts, A to D.

3.98 Rayon Pajamas **2.98**

Handsome notch collar coat styles in beautiful stripes and self figures. Full cut, well tailored. A to D.

\$1.00 Man-Size Mufflers **69c**

Warm colorful types in smart designs and gay solids, to complement his holiday outfit. Whites, colors.

\$1.49 Leather Gloves **1.19 pr.**

Capeskin and pig-tex leathers, flannel lined for warmth. Gauntlet or button, black or brown, 8 to 10.

79c Handmade Ties **59c**

Our fine 79c ties for one day only! Wrinkle-resistant fabrics in a grand selection of beautiful patterns.

25c Anklets and Sox **19c pr.**

All perfect quality rayons and cottons, many with 15% wool. Mercerized tops, soles. Smart patterns. 10 to 12.



Reg. 16.98 3-PIECE SUITS!

Reg. 13.98 2-PIECE SUITS!

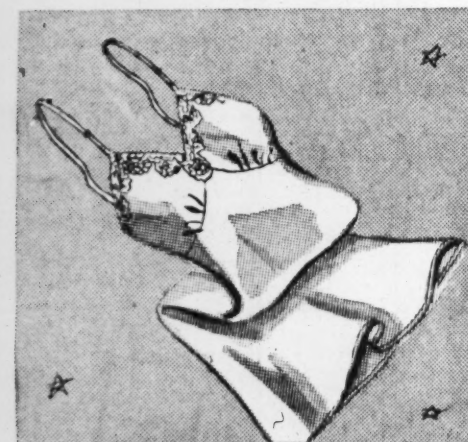
Reg. 13.98 to 16.98 COATS!

80 Coats! Dress styles in nubby and smooth fabrics. Black, defense blue, brown, green and wine. 9 to 17 and 12 to 20.

40 Man-Tailored 2-Pc. Suits in solids, stripes, black, navy, and brown, 12 to 20, 38 to 44.

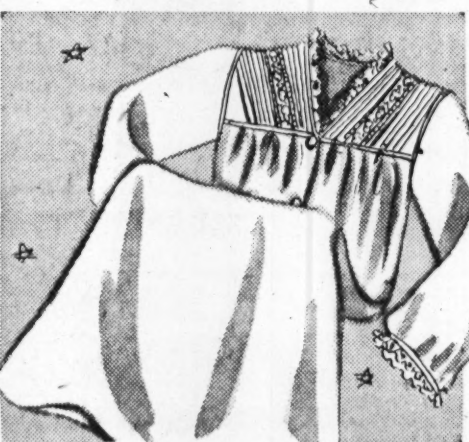
25 3-Piece Suits in tweeds and plaids, broken sizes 12 to 20.

\$10
each



79c BEST-SELLING RAYON GIFT SLIPS **59c**

First quality rayon satins and crepes with adjustable straps. Neatly lace-trimmed styles, tearose shade. Check several against your gift list! 32 to 44.



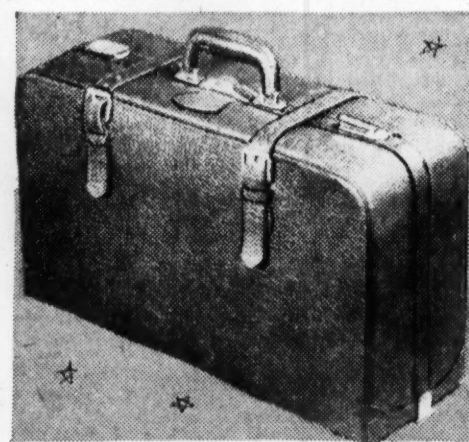
\$1.25 Long-Sleeve Cotton Nightgowns **1.00**

Mother or Grandmother would bless you for sending long-sleeve gowns like these! All full-cut yoke styles, with embroidery, lace or tuck-trimmed yokes. 34 to 50.



\$3.98 MAJORETTE BOOTS FOR GIRLS **2.99 pr.**

Imagine, beautiful white leather at a grand one-day saving! The perfect gift for your buoyant stepping schoolgirl. Come early! All sizes from 3½ to 9.



GENUINE COWHIDE \$6.98 GLADSTONES **5.00**

Split grain cowhide on steel frame, two straps, non-tarnish hardware. Cloth lined, shirt fold, black, brown, 24 to 26 inches.

ZIPPER BAGS, vulcanized fabric, \$2.98



TOTS' FROCKS! BOYS' SUITS!

\$1.19 values! **79c ea.**

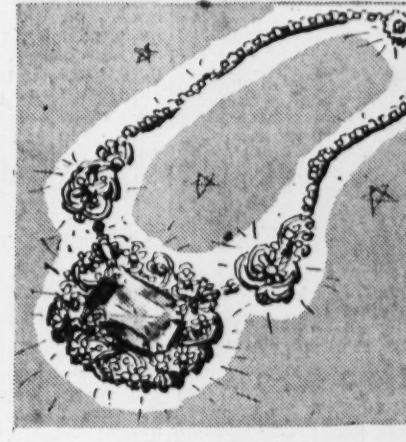
Dresses in prints, solids, some irregular. Also pinafores, 1 to 6. Suits—Tubfast solids and combinations, belted types, 2 to 6.



TOTS' FROCKS of VELVETS

\$2.98, \$3.98 values—each— **2.00**

Velvets and velveteens, cute styles with soft lace-edged collars, puff sleeves. Wine, blue, green—perfect for the holidays. 1 to 3, 3 to 6.



\$1.98, \$2.98 GIFT JEWELRY **1.00**

Beautiful costume jewelry — expensive-looking treasures in necklaces, pins, clips, stone-set bracelets, pendants, long strands of colored beads, earrings.



Full Fashioned 89c to \$1 HOSE **50c pr.**

1,800 pairs, silks! Perfect quality, slight irregulars. Chiffons and service weight, tailored or jacquard lace tops, sizes 8½ to 10½.



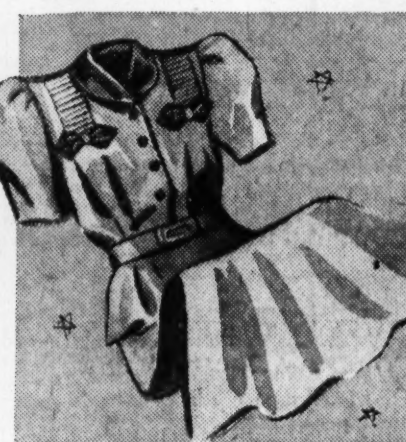
\$5.50 BOYS' BOOTS \$5.98 MEN'S BOOTS **4.40 pr.**

Moccasin or plain toe, Gro-cord and rubber soles . . . weatherproof leather uppers. Boots are tops with men and boys. Boys' brown only, sizes 1½ to 6. Men's black only, sizes 6½ to 11.



GIVE "YOUR MAN" A \$5.98 BEACON ROBE **3.98**

Here's a big handsome blanket robe he'll welcome with joy! In ombre patterns—odd and different! Good length, wraparound, 3 pockets. Cord trim. Small, medium, large.



\$1.98 to \$2.98 GIRLS' DRESSES **1.58**

Gay holiday dresses of rayon crepes and spuns. Dressy or tailored, solids and prints. Long torsos, gores, pleats, velvet trims. Sizes 7 to 16.



GIRLS' \$9.98 WINTER COATS **6.98**

Plaids, tweeds, monotones and herringbones. Dressy or tailored types, many with hoods. One day only to save \$3. Sizes 1 to 6x, 7 to 14, 10 to 16.



BOYS' POLOS and SHIRTS **59c ea.**

Shirts of colorfast prints, also all white broadcloth, 6 to 12, 12½-14½. Polos, zipper neck, long sleeves, in horizontal stripes, knits, 6 to 16.



CHILDREN'S \$1.98 BOOTS **1.58 pr.**

Snow boots for infants' and children, all white with lined collars, 8½ to large 3. Infants' zipper and slip-on booties, brown, white, 2 to 8.

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Regularly 7.98

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 Wonderful dresses for your holiday! Rayon-and-wools, even 100% wool jerseys... in blue, beige, rose, a few reds and greens! Precious pleats, tucks, pockets, buttons! Sizes 11 to 15, and 14 to 18. And you save \$4!

Mon-e-Saver Shop, Rich's 3d Floor



Today Only!

1.29 Shine Kit

1.00

Wood kit, complete with polish and polisher! Helps teach children to keep their shoes neat.

Housewares Rich's Sixth Floor



Today Only!

6.60-7.50 Casseroles

2.98

Famous "Servet" stainless steel casseroles! Colorful heat-proof bakelite serving tray. Save!

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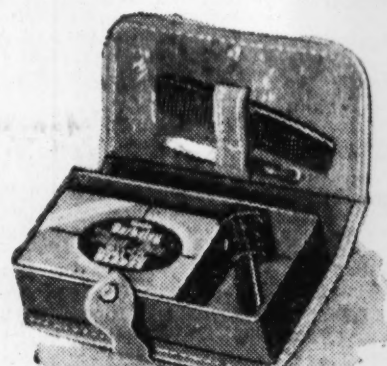
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\$1 SHAVING KIT

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Gift he'll appreciate—50 double-edge blades alone worth the price! Kit also holds razor, comb, file!

Rich's Store for Men Street Floor



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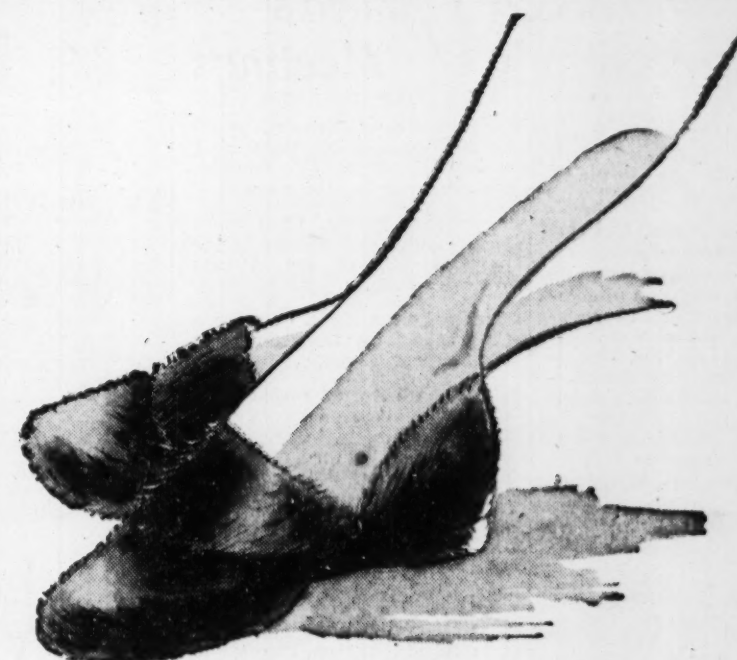
2,800 Pairs! 1.29 to 1.98

SLIPPERS

1.00

Even this huge group will go fast! Fuzzy types—scuffs and D'orsays! Gleaming rayon satins—some embroidered! Plenty of kid leathers—with leather soles! Black, navy, wine, pastels! Sizes 3 to 9!

Rich's Slipper Bar



Today Only!

100 Tots' Corduroy OVERALLS

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Regular 1.98 narrow-wale corduroys small fry live in all winter! Match 'em with jackets and caps for gifts to give real wear! 2 to 6x.

60 Tots' Corduroy JACKETS

2.29

Regular 2.98 best values! Zipper front; plaid lining, snug elastic sides! 2-6x.

100 Tots' Corduroy CAPS

59¢

Regular price \$1! Save 41¢ today on each snug topper! Match overalls, jackets! Small, medium, large.

Infants, Rich's Second Floor



Today Only!

1.25 Pictures

98¢ ea.

Pictures for gifts! Florals, fashions, landscapes! Buy them in pairs or groups! Approx. size: 11x14, 10x12-in. Antique white, gold finish or mahogany finish frames!

Pictures Rich's Fourth Floor



Today Only!

3.98 Best Sellers!

STERLING

3.00

Just 150 pieces! Rush in! They'll be gone by noon! Sterling silver vases, 10-in. candlesticks by the pair, compotes baskets, sugar and cream sets! Save today!

Silverware, Rich's Street Floor

Today Only!

50 DESK SETS

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Reg. 4.95, 5.95, 7.95!

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Back to regular prices Friday! Genuine leather pads—12x19, 16x21, 19x24 inches—24-karat gold tooling! Pad, perpetual calendar, inkwell or pen, blotter, letter opener! All colors!

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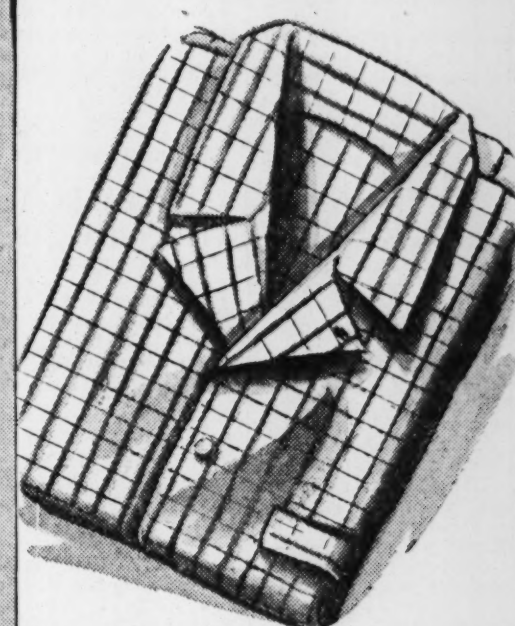
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DESK ACCESSORIES

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Back to regular prices Friday! Metal-figure book-ends! Desk Pens (some with calendar)! Perpetual calendars! Clocks! Mexican and Brazilian onyx! Only 100—so be here early!

Rich's Stationery Street Floor



Today Only!

MEN'S 2.50 CHALLIS

PAJAMAS

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Go right down your gift list—save 52¢ on each man today, get a gift you know he wants! Warm soft challis—solids, stripes, plaids! Stock up for winter, too! Sizes A, B, C, D.

Rich's Street Floor

RICH'S... SHOP AT THE CORNER KNOWN FOR THRIFT... RICH'S



Atlantans To Interpret Yule With Thoughtful Meaning

By SALLY FORTH.

CHRISTMAS PROMISES to be more meaningful, if less gay, this year. Celebrations will return to the traditional significance of Yuletide. Churches everywhere will emphasize the origin of this most cherished of Christian feasts—the birth of Christ, whose teachings revolutionized the world's sense of spiritual values. And Atlantans, who are ever thoughtful of others, turn their attention to those less fortunate than themselves, with the true Christmas spirit.

For instance, a mother, father and four children will have their Christmas made happier through efforts of members of the Debutante Club. The family was recommended to the group by Mrs. Alonzo Richardson, who knows the worthiness of the family. Her granddaughter, Virginia Richardson, has been put in charge of selecting gifts and edibles, and will take them to the family on Christmas Eve.

Mary Frances Broach and Margaret Peavy will assist Virginia in playing Santa Claus. Donations from the debutantes and their friends will make possible this gracious act directed to those less fortunate than this bevy of belles.

COMMEMORATING the glad season for music lovers and church-goers will be the presentation of Handel's "The Messiah" at Eggleston Hall at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon by the Opera-Oratorio Society, Alec Buckingham, conductor. Sponsored by the St. Cecilia Circle of All Saints church and fostered by Dr. Theodore S. Will, rector, this special Christmas music will constitute a fitting celebration of the season dedicated to "Peace on earth, good will toward men."

The first half of the program includes Christmas carols and carol-anthems from the world's beloved composers. The second half offers part one of "The Messiah" in its entirety. The Opera-Oratorio Society will be augmented by the Davidson Choral Club, of which Mr. Simson is director.

A VERY REAL part of Christmas is the series of pageants presented by churches and schools. St. Philip's Pro-Cathedral has planned a significant and beautiful pageant, entitled "While the Chimes Rang," which will be presented on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the church. The public is invited.

Christmas carols will be sung by the full-voiced choir, numbering 45, and the cast will include 26 children.

Canon Robert Crandall, director, will read the story, as the youngsters act it in pantomime. Canon Crandall will be assisted in staging the colorful production by Sarah Wagstaff Rogers and Louise McKie.

SOME of the parties already planned for the Christmas season will be given as scheduled, but on a far smaller scale, due to society's consciousness of the national emergency. As an example, there is the Girls' Collation Club, whose members always give one of the most brilliant balls of the Christmas season. The ball takes place on December 29 at the Driving Club as per schedule, but this year there will be no midnight supper and no favors for the guests such as have distinguished the balls in the past.

Headed by Roline Adair, the popular president, the club decided to give the money for these two important features of the ball to the Red Cross. And only because invitations had been issued and an orchestra engaged, the girls decided to go on with their dance. But since war was declared, all "extras" for the affair have been eliminated.

THE RED CROSS will also benefit by the cancellation of a party—the egg-nog party at which Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Greene were to have been hosts on New Year's Day. The affair was originally planned to honor debutantes Kecker Newton and Karen Norris. Karen, you recall, has cancelled plans for her debut party because her father, Dr. Jack Norris, is on duty with the U. S. Navy in the Pacific.

And while on the subject, the Red Cross up in Nashville, Tenn., will profit by the activities of a group of students at Ward-Belmont, according to Peggy Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Raymond Johnson, who is a senior there.

The girls who are members of the Turf and Tanbark Club staged a derby recently, and freshmen members, acting as horses, raced in the gym in true turf style. Guests placed bets on the various "mares" and accumulated funds were given to the Red Cross.

TODAY when Bradford Junior College in Massachusetts "shuts down" for the Christmas holidays, lovely Ahn Ramspeck, who is a freshman at the well-known school, will entrain for New York City.

Ann plans to spend several days visiting the shops and seeing the shows in the metropolis, where she will visit her grandmother, Mrs. L. B. Sheffield. She will not remain in New York over Christmas, however, for she will arrive here December 22 to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ramspeck, on Woodward way until the first of January.

Needless to say, Ann will re-

Women's Meetings

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18.

The Amaryllis Garden Club meets at a Christmas luncheon at 1 o'clock at Davison's tearoom when officers will be elected.

The Atlanta Writers' Club meets this evening at 7 o'clock in the banquet hall of the Atlanta Woman's Club.

Rebecca Felton U. D. C. gives a Christmas party for veterans at the Soldiers' Home.

Psi Sigma sorority meets at 8 o'clock this evening with Mrs. Leroy Hughes, 1480 South Gordon street, S. W., for a Christmas party.

A Christmas fantasy, "God's Best Gift," will be presented by the children of S. R. Young grammar school at 7:30 o'clock in the school auditorium.

The Career Girls Club meets this evening at Eggleston hospital to decorate a Christmas tree for the patients.

Parents' night will be held by the Lena Cox P-T. A. at 7:30 o'clock.

The Narcissus Garden Club will meet with Mrs. E. D. Adams.

Inman Park W. C. T. U. meets at 10:30 o'clock at Inman Park Methodist Episcopal church.

The Mayflower Garden Club meets for a Christmas luncheon at the Henry Grady hotel at 12:45 o'clock.

Miss Schilling Plans Open House Dec. 27.

An additional affair planned to enliven the Yuletide season is the open house at which Miss Suzanne Schilling will be hostess on Saturday, December 27, at her home on Montview drive.

Mrs. C. L. Schilling and Miss Yvonne Schilling will assist the attractive young hostess in entertaining the guests, who will number 125 members of the high school contingent. The guests are invited to call between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock.

Fulton Chapter To Fete Veterans.

The Fulton Chapter U. D. C. will entertain the Confederate veterans from the Soldiers' Home on Friday at the home of Mrs. Howard McCutcheon, president of the chapter. The hours of the party are from 3 to 5 o'clock and a Christmas tree will be the feature of entertainment. Mrs. G. J. McCutcheon and Mrs. J. C. Martin, chairmen for the Soldiers' Home, are in charge of the party.

Mrs. M. H. Tarpley Is Honor Guest.

Mrs. M. H. Tarpley, whose marriage was a recent event, was honor guest at a miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. Clarence Turner and Mrs. Glenn Butler at the latter's home on Arizona avenue. Mrs. L. C. Mize assisted in entertaining.

Guests included Mesdames H. E. Barnes, Albert Cole, H. T. Barnes, Jack Fortner, Alfred Jones, G. H. Spruill, Nick Rawlin, Alfred Cooley, Ruby, Edna and Misses Thelma Rowden, Lois Wilson, Polly McComb, Frances Renfro and Mary Randolph.

Piano Recital.

Ruth Gant, organist of the Wesley Memorial church, presents a group of pupils in a piano recital in the Chamber of Commerce hall on Friday evening at 8:15 o'clock.

The following are on the program: Joy Sheridan, Josephine Hawkins, Margaret Swinford, Ellen Castleberry, Betty Castleberry, Bunnie Hawkins, Hermine Miller, Betty Chappell, Mary Kittrell, Lynette Jones, Alice Johnson, Josephine Castleberry and Cleve Martin. There will be violin solos by Mrs. Mary Louise Elnor and vocal solos by Mrs. O. L. Greene, Mrs. Annie Grace Chappell and Lucy Manning.

ceive a cordial welcome from her legion of friends here and she will be a sought-after figure at the holiday parties.

BECAUSE the groom-elect in question is on Uncle Sam's "pay roll" and his plans are subject to change, no date has been set for the Army officer's wedding to the prominent Atlanta belle, but their engagement will be formally announced at an early date.

The beautiful blond bride-elect, who has two sisters and a brother, is noted for her "peaches-and-cream" complexion and her chic appearance upon all occasions. Her handsome fiancé, who is well known here, though a native of a nearby city, graduated from Yale University. He has two brothers and one sister, the latter having married a short while ago.

Can you identify them?



MISS HELEN LOUISE LAMAR.

Miss Louise Lamar To Wed Mr. Wilkinson This Morning

Of social importance and centering the interest of a host of friends is the announcement made today by Mr. and Mrs. George Glenn Lamar of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Helen Louise Lamar, to Joseph Beebe Wilkinson. The ceremony will be performed this morning at 11 o'clock in the Winship Chapel of the First Presbyterian church by Dr. William V. Gardner, in the presence of relatives and close friends. Dr. Charles Sheldon will present a musical program.

The bride-elect will be given in marriage by her father, and her only attendant will be Miss Evelyn Lindsey, of Washington, Ga. Dr. Charles Wilkinson, brother of the groom-elect, will be best man. Dr. Leland Baggett and Baker Weidinger will serve as ushers.

Miss Lamar will wear a powder blue tailored dress and small feathered hat to match. Her accessories will be brown and she will carry a small white Bible. Her flowers will be white orchids and bouvardia. The maid of honor will wear a brown ensemble, and her flowers will match the bride-elect's costume.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding will be Dr. and Mrs. Charles Wilkinson Jr., of Columbia, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lindsey, of Washington, Ga.; and Mrs. F. D. Patterson, Misses Alma, Mary George, Ceola and Mildred Lamar, of Auburn, Ala.

Miss Lamar, an only child, moved to Atlanta from Jacksonville, Fla., five years ago. Although a native of Alabama, she is a

descendant of old Georgia families, including the Calhouns, DuBoses, Glens and Lamars. Her mother is the former Miss Anna Belle Calahan, the daughter of William Monroe Calahan and the late Emma DuBose Calahan. On her paternal side she is the granddaughter of Mr. Howard Lamar and the late Mr. Lamar, of Auburn, Alabama.

Miss Lamar graduated from North Fulton High school, where she was a member of the Phi Pi sorority, and the North Fulton Circle for the Tallulah Falls school. She then entered Arlington Hall in Washington, D. C., and later transferred to Wesleyan College in Macon.

Mr. Wilkinson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fore Wilkinson and the brother of Dr. Charles Fore Wilkinson Jr. He is the grandson of Mrs. Joseph B. Hardin and the late Mr. Hardin, of Tampa. On his paternal side his grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. John Beebe Wilkinson.

After graduating from Marietta College, Mr. Wilkinson entered Emory University, where he joined the Kappa Alpha fraternity, and later he attended the University of Georgia. During his high school days, he served as president of the Omega chapter of the K. D. K. fraternity. He is now associated in business with the Reliance Life Insurance Company, of Pittsburgh, and is located in Atlanta.

Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson will leave for their honeymoon. When they return, they will make their home at 122 Brighton road.



THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18.

Mrs. Stephens Mitchell entertains at a luncheon at her home on Peachtree street for Miss Margaret Harmon, debutante.

Miss Jeannette Cox gives a morning coffee at her home on Lullwater road for Misses Mary Frances Broach and C. C. Proctor, debutantes.

Mrs. Lawton Burdett gives a tea at her home on Pine Valley road for Miss Margaret Peavy, debutante.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coolidge and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Coolidge entertain at a dinner party at the Mirador room of the Capital City Club for Miss Kecker Newton, debutante.

Mrs. E. B. Lanier entertains at a buffet supper at her home in Cascade Heights for Miss Carolyn Lanier and J. Cleve Allen.

Miss Sue Thrasher entertains at a shower at her home on Kirkwood road for Miss Marion Thomas North, bride-elect.

Luncheon and dinner-dance take place at the Mirador room of the Capital City Club.

The Alpha Tau chapter of the Kappa Delta sorority entertains faculty members at a Christmas party in the sorority rooms.

St. Anthony's Club holds its annual Christmas supper and dance in the church auditorium.

The Mayflower Garden Club holds a Christmas luncheon at the Henry Grady hotel.

Rebecca Felton Chapter, U. D. C., entertains veterans at a Christmas party at the Soldiers' Home.

Joseph W. Humphries school holds its annual Christmas play at 7:30 o'clock.

Christmas pageant takes place at 7 o'clock at the Bassett school.

Christmas pageant takes place at the North Fulton High school at 8 o'clock.

For Miss Wilhite And Miss Broach.

A duo of popular debutantes, Misses Jenelle Wilhite and Mary Frances Broach, will be central figures at the dinner party to be given on Saturday evening by Miss Helen Randall. The party will take place at the weekend dinner-dance at the Piedmont Driving Club and will assemble 12 friends of the honor guest.

Miss Randall has chosen a Christmas motif for her table decorations. A platoon of red roses and white snapdragons will form the centerpiece, and miniature white reindeer will hold the place cards.

Division To Form Defense Unit.

The Garden Hills Woman's Club garden division has voted to become a defense unit, meeting each Wednesday with Mrs. A. R. Kivette, 557 East Wesley road. The first meeting was held yesterday. Mrs. J. P. McGovern spoke on "Defense."

The home of Mrs. L. A. Albright was artistically decorated in Christmas arrangements by the following members: Mesdames R. A. Eubanks, J. R. Jameson, I. L. Partee, Clifford Read, Martin Meath, L. A. Albright and A. R. Kivette.

New Year's Eve Parties Planned at Clubs and Hotels

Atlantans will dine and dance at gay parties on New Year's Eve, the affairs to be held at fashionable clubs and hotels. In a traditional holiday atmosphere, guests will celebrate the coming of the new year with customary splendor and hilarity.

At the Mirador Room of the Capital City Club, members and guests will assemble, and following a custom of long standing, the club president will strike the magic hour of midnight. This year, President Baxter Maddox will continue the custom. Mr. and Mrs. Maddox will be at a table reserved for the officers and their wives.

Among those having reservations for the dinner dance are Russell Dodson, Dr. Claude Grif-

fin, D. J. Bowen, Ray Marsden, E. G. Ruffner, R. C. Williams, E. N. Brown, S. R. Bridges, C. H. King, Herbert Z. Hopkins, Dr. J. L. Pittman, E. B. Glenn, J. Harvey Irwin, C. L. R. Nichols, M. S. Bass, E. T. Pierce, R. A. Workman, Allan Watkins, S. T. Belsinger, R. H. Jones, Evan McConnell, J. B. Day, William G. Grant, J. L. Hudson, Gordon P. Kiser Jr., Robert B. Vance, H. H. Green, John Stewart, W. B. Horton, E. C. Myers, Earle Yancey, Scott Allen, J. B. Moran and W. D. Taulman.

Reservations are being accepted by the management of the Druid Hills Golf Club for its gala New Year's Eve dinner-dance to be held at the club on December 31. In addition, the club has planned an open house and eggnog party for Christmas Day, with the

calling hours set from 11 to 1 o'clock.

Members of the Atlanta Athletic Club will dine and dance on this festive date at the town club and also at the country club at East Lake, dinner dances being scheduled at both places.

Hotels have planned numerous gay parties, and dinner dances will be held in the Empire Room of the Biltmore, the Rainbow Roof at the Ansley, and the Paradise Room of the Henry Grady.

At the Ansley there will be two special floor shows direct from an engagement in Miami.

Mrs. England Hostess.

Mrs. J. M. England entertained Monday afternoon in her home on East Confederate avenue, N. E., for the Dorothy Blount Lamar Chapter, U. D. C. The guests enjoyed games of bridge, prizes being awarded the winners. Mrs. Charles L. Anderson is the president of this chapter and Mrs. J. L. McCord is president of the Georgia Division, U. D. C.

Muse-Mozo.

Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Muse announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Annie Laurie Muse, to David Wills Mozo, of Washington, D. C., and Jacksonville, Fla. The marriage will be solemnized at the Druid Hills Methodist church on December 30.

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Pilot Club Gives Yule Pageant This Evening

A Christmas pageant, "Peace on Earth," directed by Miss Gladys Cory, will feature the meeting of the Atlanta Pilot Club this evening, at the Ansley hotel, at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Reade P. Ashurst, president, will preside, and Mrs. Winnie Hilton, chairman, will present the program.

In the pageant will be Miss Verona Longino, as Narrator, and other members of the cast are Mrs. Gene Berkey, Mrs. Elizabeth Moultrie, and Misses Gladys Boulton, Julia Parker and Julia Mashburn. Mrs. Ashurst will take the part of the Madonna, and a sailor and a soldier from Lawson hospital will take the male leads. Miss Eugenia Faulkner, club pianist, will accompany Mrs. Ashurst and Miss Julia Parker, who will sing. Little Miss Anastasia Marinos will render several musical selections during the program. Mrs. Harriet Armstrong, Mrs. Anne Sherer, Mrs. Carolyn Seivers and Miss Bertie Hale are in charge of the table decorations and the Christmas tree.

Miss Lucy McManus, of Selma, Ala., a past governor of district No. 2, and present chairman of extension, Pilot Club International, was a visitor at the last meeting. She announced the recent chartering of the Lake City, S. C., Pilot Club and stated that organization meetings had been held in Americus, Ga., and Clearwater and Port St. Joe, Fla.

The civic committee of the local club announced that decorations will be furnished for 10 wards and a tree at Lawson hospital and that a quantity of socks would be filled for patients. The Big Bethel Choir will sing. Upon vote of the entire membership, the civic committee was requested to prepare a resolution of support during the war and to send copies thereof to President Roosevelt and Senators George and Russell and Congressman Ranspach.

The life and health committee reported progress in the nutrition classes sponsored by the club for the benefit of young girls at the Atlanta Mission, and Mrs. Mamie K. Taylor, chairman, announced that she would entertain in their honor at a tea at her home, 12 Briarcliff road on December 20, from 4 to 5 o'clock. Members were urged to register at the Civilian Defense Volunteers' office, at 246 Peachtree street, and to be ready to serve in any way possible.

Mrs. Ashurst announced the appointment of Mrs. Ethel Cooper as social welfare chairman, to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. Ena Wrenn. Mrs. Cooper announced plans for the annual Christmas party to be given for patients at Battle Hill sanatorium, on December 22, at 8 o'clock in the auditorium of the sanatorium, where 114 patients will receive gifts from members of the club. A program has been planned, and a Christmas tree will be filled with gifts. Miss Eugenia Faulkner will provide Christmas music and Mrs. Elizabeth Moultrie will give whistling solos.

Mrs. Alvie Hill, governor of district 1, of Athens, is expected at the Christmas party, and proteges of the education committee will be special guests.

Catholic Club Party.

The Young People's Catholic Club of the Immaculate Conception church will hold its annual Christmas charity party this evening at the home of the club president, Bob Chess, on Warren street. Guests are requested to bring groceries to help take care of the needy at Christmas. Interesting games are being planned by Miss Rosemary Cerniglia, who is entertainment chairman.



MRS. CLARA B. CASSIDY.

Mrs. Cassidy, newly elected president of the State Fraternal Congress of Georgia, urges all members in Georgia to heed the President's call to subscribe fifty million dollars to the Red Cross and to assist in every way in the national emergency. She is chairman of the fraternalist committee of the Supreme Forest Woodmen Circles, and will sponsor a benefit for the Red Cross at an early date.

Better Films Group To Meet

Mrs. O. D. Bartlett, president, announces that the luncheon meeting of the Atlanta Better Films Committee will be held in the civic room of the Ansley hotel today at 12 o'clock.

The executive board and Mrs. Alonzo Richardson's class of instruction will meet in the Ansley and Forsyth rooms of the hotel at 11 o'clock today. Mrs. Fred DeRay is in charge of the program and will present a number of her pupils, carrying out the Christmas theme.

Members are requested to bring toys for Grady hospital children and dressed dolls for the "Buy a Doll-Dress a Doll" project sponsored by the Women's Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Bartlett will request suggestions for ways in which members of the committee may serve in the civilian defense, American Women's Voluntary Service and Red Cross work, and definite plans will be made for active participation in this phase of the city's activities.

Reservations for this meeting may be made by calling Mrs. R. C. Mott, Calhoun 1494, or Mrs. J. H. Grobli, Vernon 2040.

Cotillion Club Party Planned

The Cotillion Club at Agnes Scott College entertains this evening at a buffet supper in the Anna Young Alumnae House on the college campus at 7 o'clock. Members include Misses Margaret Waggoner, Sally Knight, Polly Frink, Mary Brock, Dorothy Gay, Frances Ellis, Myra Wells, Cato Wheelock, Marjorie Wilson, Kay Wilkerson, Nancy Terry, Jane Reynolds, Mary Louise Palmour, Jeanne Newton, Dorothy Nash, Sue Mitchell, Mary Kettil Martin, Martha Liddell, Leona Leavitt, Clara Johnson, Edith Hard, Edith Harward, Eugenia Halley, Carolyn Fuller, Anne Busted, Ruth Biggs, Bettye Ashtcraft.

Their escorts include George Waggoner, Lamar Armstrong, Captain James Bunell Jr., John King, James Poole, Joe Merrill, Jimmy Andrews, Lieutenant W. D. Ferris Jr., Barney Huff, Jim Anderson, John Shackelford, Joe Fillman, Don Metzger, Lieutenant Owenfield Hale, Lon King, Harry Anther, Pat Wagner, Peter Walker, Edna Stanton, Giles Cleveland, Jack Clive, Bob Womack, Claud Van Sant, Bill Abnerworth, Scott Kiko, Jim Phillips, Dexter Clayton and Buddy Brock.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. McKnight announce the birth of a son, James Swann, on December 8, at Emory hospital. Mrs. McKnight is the former Miss Mary Frances Swann, of Tampa, Fla.

Dr. and Mrs. C. N. Scheinbaum announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Joyce, on December 5, at Emory University hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Pittman, of 830 Oglethorpe avenue, West End, announce the birth of a son December 14 at Crawford W. Long hospital. The baby has been named Robert H. Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Lusink announce the birth of a son on December 10 at Piedmont hospital, who has been named Mark. Mrs. Lusink is the former Miss Mary Hosford. She and her young son will return to their home, 999 Mt. Perrin road, on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Prance announce the birth of a daughter, Barbara Jean, on December 17 at Crawford W. Long hospital. The baby's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Prance, of Tifton; and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McDonald, of Winder.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Williams announce the birth of a son, Benjamin Franklin Williams III, on December 15, at Piedmont hospital. Mrs. Williams is the former Miss Ann Buckner.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nunnally, of Stone Mountain, announce the birth of a son, William Duke, at Emory University hospital December 2. Mrs. Nunnally is the former Miss Beatrice Thrasher, of Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hollingsworth announce the birth of a daughter on December 5 at Emory University hospital, whom they named Julia Neal. Mrs. Hollingsworth is the former Miss Mary Elizabeth Nix, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abit Nix, of Athens, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hollingsworth, of Conyers, are the paternal grandparents of the baby.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Brannan, of College Park, announce the birth of a son on December 7 at Crawford W. Long hospital. The baby has been named Latta Lester Jr. Mrs. Brannan is the former Miss Addie McCleary, of Kingtree, S. C.

Christmas Party At Woman's Club

The Atlanta Woman's Club will entertain the members at a Christmas party on Friday at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Howard Pattillo announces that the program is in charge of Mrs. L. O. W. Bonham, of Miami, Fla., who is the music chairman. Mrs. William J. Okel, and Mrs. M. L. Throver, hospitality chairman, who will be assisted by the officers of the club.

Mrs. Thomas A. Suttles, accompanied by Mrs. Andrew Marshall, will sing. Members of the music group, of which Mrs. B. C. Settle is chairman, and Mrs. C. Don Ioset, Mrs. B. L. Shackelford, Mrs. Mary Griffith Dobbs, Mrs. Alberta Carroll Summer, Mrs. Walter Arch, Mrs. William J. Okel, Mrs. Hill Robertson, Mrs. James E. Bradley, Mrs. E. E. Bengtson, Mrs. William Barbour and Mrs. P. V. Ball will sing Christmas carols. Mrs. Marian Bailey Springer will present Donna Bengtson, Jacqueline Johnson, Alvina Payne, Mary Ann Harris and Natalie Levy in a dance ensemble.

After the program an old-fashioned Christmas party will be enjoyed, with Christmas tree and refreshments. Each member will bring a present for the tree. Those who have not yet contributed for the Christmas baskets are asked to bring gifts at this time for the welfare chairman, Mrs. James E. Bradley.

1938 Matrons' Club Holds Annual Party.

The 1938 Matrons Club, of the O. E. S., held its annual Christmas party recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Escott on Washington street, in College Park.

Present were: Rev. and Mrs. John Tate, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hood, Miss Elmina Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Almand, Mrs. Sara Bell Isle, Mrs. Katherine Straub, Miss Angie Fenn, Phil Collins, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Escott, and Mr. and Mrs. Doris Abercrombie.

A quiz and several very interesting contests were enjoyed. A feature of the party was the exchange of humorous gifts. Miss Elmina Austin, newly-elected president of the club, presented a gift to Mrs. Grady Hood, retiring president, on behalf of the club in appreciation of her year's work.

The program will be in charge of Mrs. Phyllis D. Lewis and Mrs. Elizabeth Lawson, who will present a workshop lesson on "Basic Techniques in Fiction," illustrated by published material.

Members are reminded that the time for submitting short stories for the Sada Hirschburg award expires with this meeting. Members who have submitted articles to Mildred Seydel's "Think Tank" are requested to bring them to the club to be voted on. The criticism hour from 7 to 8 o'clock will be conducted by Mrs. Gladys Massey.



MISS MARY WEST GREEN.

Miss Mary Green Is Engaged To Lieut. Frederick E. Fuchs

WILMINGTON, N. C., Dec. 16. Enlisting sincere and cordial interest here and in Atlanta, Ga., are the plans for the marriage of Miss Mary West Green, lovely young daughter of Mrs. Thomas Meares Green, of this city, and Lieutenant Frederick Edward Fuchs, aide-de-camp to Major General Frederic H. Smith.

The wedding of the prominent couple will be brilliantly solemnized on February 14 in Wilmington and among Atlantans who will be attendants are Mrs. Strother C. Fleming Jr. and Hamilton Loke. The bride-elect is the younger sister of Mrs. Emma G. Moore, of Atlanta.

Miss Green attended St. Mary's College in Raleigh, N. C., and Hollins College in Virginia, from where she was graduated with the class of 1938. Lieutenant Fuchs is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Fuchs, of Brooklyn, N. Y. He is a graduate of Georgia Tech with the class of 1936. Before being called to active duty with the United States Army, Lieutenant Fuchs was assistant district sales manager of the Ohio Brass Company, in Atlanta. He is a member of the Pi Kappa Phi, social fraternity, and the Atlanta Athletic Club.

Miss Friedberg Weds Mr. Elkins.

Mrs. and Mr. J. Friedberg announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ruth Friedberg, to I. Elkins, of Alma, Ga., the ceremony having been performed in the study of Rabbi Tobias Gefen, Sunday, December 14, at 1 o'clock.

The bride was dressed in a beige ensemble and wore orchids. After the ceremony, the bride's parents entertained at a dinner for the family, after which the bride and groom left for points unknown.

Williams-Senkbeil.

EASTANOLLEE, Ga., Dec. 17. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Williams, of Eastanollee, Ga., announce the marriage of their daughter, Mildred, to Herbert E. Senkbeil, of Atlanta, Ga., solemnized December 13.

The bride was dressed in a beige ensemble and wore orchids. After the ceremony, the bride's parents entertained at a dinner for the family, after which the bride and groom left for points unknown.

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Plans Announced By Miss Drake And Mr. Sutton

Widespread social interest is attached to the announcement made today of the plans for the marriage of Miss Dorothy Rebecca Drake and Willis Anderson Sutton Jr. The ceremony will be solemnized at noon Monday, December 22, at the Druid Hills Baptist church.

Rev. Henry Turlington, cousin of the bride-elect, will officiate and will be assisted by Dr. Louie D. Newton, pastor of the church. The music will be presented by Mrs. D. C. Adams, soloist, and Mrs. John Felder, organist.

Miss Drake will be given in marriage by her father, Franklin Pierce Drake, and Dr. Willis A. Sutton will act as best man for his son.

The bride-elect has chosen her

Pen Women Cancel Christmas Party

The annual Christmas party of the Atlanta Branch National League of American Pen Women, which was announced for the Biltmore hotel on the evening of December 30, has been called off according to information from Mrs. Tom Crabtree, president, in order that the members may concentrate their efforts on defense work.

sister, Miss Helen Ruth Drake, as her maid of honor and the bridesmaids will be Misses Mary Scott and Irmette Coleman.

Acting as groomsmen will be William K. Hall and William A. McElreath. The ushers will include James Gaston, Mack Carson, Sim Walton Jr. and Jimmie Weaver.

Following the ceremony the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drake, will entertain at a break-

For Miss Thames And Dr. Waxelbaum.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ward entertained recently at cocktails, followed by dinner, at the Biltmore hotel, honoring Dr. Gates Waxelbaum and his fiancée, Miss Frances Thames.

Guests included Miss Vella Warren, E. E. Whitaker, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hexter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Freitag, Miss Mary Lanier, Doran Williams, Mrs. Carolyn Friedman, Theodore Waxelbaum, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Josh Brown, Miss Thames and Dr. Waxelbaum.

The color scheme of green and white was carried out in table decorations.

fast at their home on Clifton road. Assisting in entertaining will be Misses Georgia Coleman, Eugenia Coleman, Annice Scott, Annette Scott, Catherine King, Harriet Marks and Maurine Celley.

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Doug Fairbanks Jr. Auctions Sword Of "Corsican Brothers" For Red Cross

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—(INS)—Colonel Mason Wright, who has been closely associated with the defense films made in Hollywood under the supervision of Darryl Zanuck, was in New York talking with the film heads here. While Colonel Wright was reluctant to make any definite statement, I gathered that it won't be long before an association will be formed headed by an appointee of the President, chosen with the approval of the film producers, to act as war-time head of the industry.

There never has been a better

By Louella O. Parsons

time to remind the world of what America is fighting for than right now—the week of the 150th anniversary of our bill of rights. With motion picture producers rushing to get battle stories on the screen, Harry Cohn is taking a different angle and dramatizing a series of feature pictures on American rights. The first will be "Mightier Than the Sword," based on freedom of the press and starring Glenn Ford. Ford will portray John Peter Venger, whose trials and tribulations in crusading

for a free press nearly 200 years ago were the inspiration back of this clause in the bill of rights 50 years later.

Mrs. Douglas Fairbanks Jr., who is on her farm in Virginia, has been invited to attend the Washington premiere of Doug's latest picture, "Corsican Brothers." When it opens in Washington a message of greeting will be broadcast to young Doug, who is a lieutenant commander in the Navy. The sword he wore in the movies will be auctioned off and the proceeds given to the Red Cross, for it is exactly the sort of thing his father, who did so much in the last war, would have done.

Sorry I am missing Grace Moore in "Tosca" tomorrow night. She says it's the greatest event in her life, not only because she is to sing this great opera, but because Val Parera, her beloved husband, will be home from Saranac and well enough to attend her performance. I wish I could wait to see him and to hear Grace sing, but I must get home.

MY DAY: War Develops Co-operation

By Eleanor Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, Tuesday.—In returning to Washington yesterday afternoon I called Mrs. Morgenthau and some of her assistants in the Office of Civilian Defense to learn what had happened while Mayor LaGuardia and I were on the west coast.

Then I considered some of the difficulties now arising. There have been conflicting directions as to what people should do in case of air raids. The reason is that there are quite a number of people, who have no official sanction whatever, giving advice and directions about a number of things.



In addition, there has been conflict in the minds of people actually in charge of developing programs. However, much of the confusion is being cleared up, as it always is. Actual experience on the west coast has helped.

Up to last Sunday it was almost impossible to accomplish any real work with state and local defense councils, which were often nonexistent, or existent only on paper. Frequently, people who wanted to work, were given no money by state or local governments with which to do so. Volunteers did not materialize in such great numbers until a real war was upon us. Now there is co-operation everywhere.

Even with that co-operation, it is going to be necessary to work out certain plans in the light of experience. No one should be surprised if there is a certain amount of change that develops in the handling of different situations. The organization for actual defense, even where civilians are concerned, is primarily under Army control. However, in many cases, the welfare of the people of the community, which is also part of defense, is closely tied up with the actual protective organization.

Mayor LaGuardia has succeeded in establishing a pattern for the work of the police and fire departments, and this is functioning very smoothly everywhere on the west coast. The other community needs must be met through the co-operation of a great many agencies. These are gradually drawing together more closely and co-operating on every level. I think it eventually will lead to a stronger community organization than we have ever had before in our country.

It will be easy to criticize many things in the coming weeks. The proof of the pudding will be in the eating and if, as time goes on, communities find themselves better able to work together for the common good, civilian defense will have accomplished much of the purpose for which it was organized.

Grin and Bear It

By Lichty



"Why can't I take off my coat and shoes and smoke my pipe?—Why can't she run out to the curb when he honks, like other girls do?"

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By Lillian Mae

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Friendly Notes Are Important At Christmas

Those letters you didn't finish because "letters are so hard!" They rise up to haunt you around this Christmas season when friends seem specially precious—not to be lost.

There's only one thing to do. Sit right down and dash off a few friendly notes—yes, dashing off notes is easy when you know how. Don't stop to ponder—that's always fatal, resulting in a dismal "I'm afraid it's a long time since I've written."

Just jump in as if you'd met for a good heart-to-heart chat: "Dear Mary, It's ages since we had a really good gossip!" Then tell her all!

What makes letters go over big? The light, flattering touch, a poll of college boys revealed.

If you're convinced you're not a wit, that your letters are slow—well, there's always the gang's latest joke: "What did the cigarette say to the waiter? Put me out before I make an ash of myself!"

Send 15 cents in coins for your booklet, "HOW TO WRITE LETTERS FOR ALL OCCASIONS," to Home Institute, The Constitution, Atlanta, Ga. Write plainly your name, address, and the name of booklet.



Ginny Simms is off to a holiday party in a gay frock of lame and net. Notice how the gold basque bodice is trimmed with jeweled buttons, which are repeated on the wide lame band of the creamy net skirt.



Rosalind Russell faces New Year's Eve in a wickedly demure dance dress of soft black net with flesh-tinted bodice and sleeves. The bosom is becomingly shirred and full. The shirt is cut on the bias and gathered.

Serve Fruits Raw And Save The Vitamins

By Ida Jean Kain

Waste of food is rapidly coming to be frowned upon as a national offense. But we should face the fact that real waste means more than throwing away food that is edible. It is even more wasteful to throw away the elements a food should contribute toward health and efficiency.

For many an American homemaker the first step toward getting the full value out of food is revision of the menu planning. It is past time we stopped doling up a dish at the expense of its vitamin content. There are some foods which should not be cooked. Grapefruit topped with honey and broiled is delicious but it contains far less vitamin C than when left in its natural state.

Home-makers can't seem to let tomatoes alone. We grill them, stuff them, scallop them, and let the canned variety simmer away. Next to the citrus fruits, tomatoes are the richest source of vitamin C, which is extremely perishable. It may be lost through heating, exposure to air, or even through storage in a warm place.

Given proper care, many foods furnish a small but valuable amount of vitamin C. Cabbage is a good economical source. Don't always cook the cabbage. Serve it frequently as cole slaw and, to add vitamins, try mixing with it slivers of carrots and diced green peppers. For a salad that is delicious and different, serve grated raw carrots and raisins.

In addition to vitamin C, the green leafy vegetables furnish vitamin A and the vitamin B complex. You couldn't do better than to give your family two green leafy vegetables daily, one raw and the other cooked. Since the water soluble vitamins are in the vegetable water, every drop of it should be utilized. Try to cook greens in just the amount of water that is left clinging to the leaves and serve this with the vegetable.

The statistics have it that our annual sugar consumption exceeds 100 pounds per person. This is sheer nutritional extravagance for sugar furnishes carbohydrates but none of the protective elements. The fewer protective elements a food contains, the poorer the diet is likely to be. When too many of the day's calories are in the form of sugar, you are bound to leave out some of the essentials.

To make sure your family gets all the protective elements, balance the menus to include daily: a protein dish such as eggs, meat, cheese or beans; two vegetables, one a green leafy; a raw vegetable, which might well be a salad; whole grain or enriched bread; milk, butter and a dessert with a fruit base. These foods are the best buys for your money. They are the ones that are necessary to health.

POINTS FOR PARENTS

By Edyth Thomas Wallace



Mother: "You may take your choice. Either stop fussing and be a pleasant little girl or go to your room where I can't hear you."



Mother: "Oh, go ahead and take another piece of candy. I can't stand your teasing any longer. But remember now, this is your last piece!"

It is not surprising that intelligent children adopt the kind of behavior that they have discovered brings about the results they desire.

Quinine Proves Valuable In Warding Off Flu

By Dr. William Brady

It seems probable that what is called influenza, flu or grip is not a specific disease but any one of several distinct kinds of illness, though all or communicable and generally the infection or virus enters through the lining of nose, throat and breathing passages. In other words, it is a respiratory infection. Generally, I say, it is not unreasonable to believe that in exceptional instances the virus or germs of influenza, flu or grip may invade the body through another route, say through the lining of the digestive tract, when virus or germs are present in food or drink or when virus or germs contaminate eating and drinking utensils, or the hand or fingers which unconsciously or thoughtlessly one brings unwashed to the mouth—as in moistening a thumb or a finger to turn a page. Unwashed, I say. Without being hipped about it, one should always take advantage of an opportunity to wash the hands with soap and water when the facilities are available, especially before eating. It is rare enough to find decent facilities available even in eating and drinking places, soda fountains and the like, that pretend to be "sanitary."

Fifty years ago a German physician found a bacillus in the nasal and bronchial secretions of influenza patients, and this has been recognized as the cause of influenza, under the discoverer's name, Pfeiffer's bacillus.

But the flu of the first World War epidemic was probably not the same disease Pfeiffer ascribed to his bacillus. It seems more likely that the flu of 1918 and later was due to a virus. Recent reports indicate that photographs of the virus may have been made with the electron microscope. The virus thus photographed, unlike the known disease germs, is not a living organism, although it can reproduce itself when in living tissue. This reproduction or multiplication of the virus seems to be more of a chemical reaction than a sign of life.

If multiplication of the influenza virus in the body is a chemical reaction, that would seem to suggest a reason for the value of quinine both as prophylactic against the flu and as a remedy for the attack of flu or grip. The quinine modifies the chemical reaction and prevents formation of new virus. Whether this is actually the way quinine works against the flu or not, it is the most plausible way to explain it, so far as I know.

The prophylactic dose is one grain of quinine sulfate in pill, tablet or capsule, three times a day for a child weighing 50 pounds, for the duration of the epidemic. For a person weighing 100 pounds, two grains three times a day. A person weighing 150 pounds should take three grains three times a day as long as the disease is epidemic in the community, whether for a week, a month, or longer.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Head noises.

I have constant humming or ringing or whistling noise in my ears and am partly deaf, though I hear conversation when there isn't much noise roundabout.

(Mrs. L. K.)

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How To Treat a Domineering Grandmother

By Dixie George

Dear Dixie: I am 16 and my mother died a year ago. My grandmother has always lived with us and is still doing so. We have never gotten along very well, for she has always tried to run my affairs, and now it is even worse. I realize that it is my fault, because I know it is not. In fact, half and maybe more of it is probably mine, but I do not know how to correct it. I have tried talking to her, but it does not seem to work, for she will not listen. Naturally, this is hard on Dad, because he hates to see me unhappy. He has asked her not to interfere, but it does no good. Even Mother used to ask this of her, and Dad does not like for me to get mad or anything. When he does correct me, he is always careful to do it out of her presence and so that she cannot hear. Please help me.

C. E.

I can understand how the situation may be very hard on you and know it makes you unhappy. Naturally, your grandmother thinks she is helping you, and any objection you may have will strike a very sensitive chord in her wake up. I think you had better have a long talk with your father and tell him to trust you to run your own affairs and that you will follow your own decisions after he has approved them. Then you can go on and do as you wish and when she interferes, you can tell her that what you are doing has

Why not try playing her game for awhile and seeing how things work out? Ask your father not to interfere, and to let you work it out, but with his approval. I know that you must be unhappy and things seem far worse than they really are.



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STORE HOURS

9 A.M. TO 9 P.M.

Personals

Miss Ann Pappenhelm, and Mrs. Marion Smith Allen leave today for Columbus, where they will join Miss Sarah Smith as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curtis Jordan. They will attend the marriage of Miss Sara de Arechavala and John Tyler, of Richmond, Va., which takes place tomorrow evening.

Mrs. Allene Gentry Woods has returned from Panama City, Fla., where she visited her daughter, Mrs. William M. Booser, the former Miss Margaret Woods. She also visited her sister, Mrs. M. F. Carlin, at Winter Park, Fla., and Mrs. George Nicholson in Coral Gables, Fla.

Mrs. James W. Cannon III will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva P. McCrary at their new Argonne drive residence. She spent the past three months in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Pelet are at their apartment at 801 East Third street, apartment 3, in Tucson, Ariz., and will remain there until April 1.

Miss Adeline Barnett leaves on Saturday to spend the holidays in Asheville, N. C. She will be accompanied by her cousin, Thomas Fearington, of Hickory, N. C., who is a student at Georgia Tech.

Miss Yvonne Schilling, who attends the University of Georgia, arrives Friday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Schilling on Montview drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Dean, of Albion, Mich., arrive tomorrow to spend the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Carver at their home on Johnson road. Mr. and Mrs. Dean are en route to Miami, Fla., where they will spend the holidays at their winter home.

Miss Jacquelin Evans returns tomorrow from Tulane University, where she is a student, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Evans. She will hold open house on Saturday evening at her home on Clifton road. Miss Evans will later accompany her parents to Marion, S. C., to spend Christmas with Mrs. William Pugh Byrd Jr.

Misses Louise and Sarah Davis, who attend Young Harris College, will spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton W. Davis, at 2178 Gordon road. Miss Sarah Davis made the dean's list.

Miss Margaret Jennings, a student at the University of Georgia, arrives today to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Alice Denton Jennings, on Wieuca road.

Mrs. V. C. Browning, the former Miss Eula Head, is recuperating from a recent accident at her home on Markone drive. Mrs. Browning is a well-known soprano.

Miss Janola Barnes, who is a student at Georgia State College for Women in Milledgeville, arrived yesterday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Barnes, at their home on Morningside drive.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul F. Brown Jr. and little daughter, Joanne Brown, of Memphis, Tenn., have arrived to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dorman and Dr. and Mrs. Paul F. Brown Sr.

Miss Joanne Dorman arrives today from Sullins College in Bristol, Va., and R. B. Dorman Jr. arrives tomorrow from the University of Georgia to spend the holidays at their home on Highland avenue.

Miss Lamaj Johnson, who is a student at Bob Jones College in Cleveland, Tenn., will arrive Friday to spend the holidays with her parents at their home on Highland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Hodgson are in New York.

Miss Henrietta Thompson arrives Friday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Homer Thompson. She will be accompanied by her roommate, Miss Mary Rhoades, who will go on to her home in Shreveport, La. Misses Thompson and Rhoades are students in the Presbyterian Assembly Training school in Richmond, Va.

Miss Phyllis Ann Colecott arrives today from Sullins College in Bristol, Va., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Colecott, on Peachtree.

Miss Carolyn Eplan, who attends L. S. U., will arrive Sunday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Eplan.

Miss Mary McClure will spend the holidays with relatives in Ball Ground.

Mrs. Holmes Clements, of Greenville, was a recent visitor in the city.

David B. Moncrief has returned to Charleston, W. Va., after spending the past week with his father, D. E. Moncrief, of North avenue.

Mrs. C. C. Holt has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Lemly, in Huntington, W. Va.

Miss Nell Harvey leaves this week to spend the holiday season in Buena Vista.

Miss Jane Screven, of Atlanta, has been elected president of the senior class of Brenau Academy.

Miss Virginia Henderson, who attends Virginia Intermont College in Bristol, Va., arrives today to spend Christmas with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Matt W. Henderson on Camden road. Rev. Griffin Henderson, who is pastor

of Main Street Baptist church in Luray, Va., arrives next Monday to spend the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Henderson.

Mrs. Capers Andrews and Mrs. Paul Turner leave today for Charleston, S. C., where they will attend the wedding of the former's son, Capers Andrews, who will return to Atlanta with them for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Jacqueline Thiesen returns today from Gunston Hall, in Washington, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thiesen, on Inman circle.

Gene Lamar Etheridge, who attends the Darlington school in Rome, will arrive tomorrow to spend the holidays with his parents, Judge and Mrs. Vivian Stanley, at their home on Peachtree road. He will have as his guests Bill, McIntire, of Thomasville, and Bob Porter, of Covington.

Mr. and Frank C. Johnson, of East Orange, N. J., arrive Sunday to spend the holidays with their aunt, Miss Daisy Davies, on Spring street, N. W.

Miss Daisy Mattison will spend the holidays with relatives in Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. Charles A. Smith will spend the holidays with relatives in Dallas, Texas.

Hunt Club Plans Christmas Party

Gaiety will reign on Friday evening at the Tuxedo Hunt Club when the organization entertains at a Christmas party. The affair will take the form of a dinner-dance, and Santa Claus will be played by a club member whose identity will be kept a secret.

A lighted tree will be hung with amusing gifts for each guest, Mrs. C. L. Fain Jr. being in charge of arrangements for the party. Officers are Goodloe Yancey, president, and Mrs. Evan McConnell, executive vice president.

On Monday at the luncheon hour the junior members of the hunt club will entertain at their annual Christmas party. Miss Winifred Shackelford, president, is in charge of arrangements, and Spottwood Harvey is in charge of entertainment. Each guest will bring an article to be placed in the basket being prepared by the club for the needy. Gifts will be exchanged and games played. Sam McConnell is treasurer and Marilyn McClung is secretary.

Legion Post Plans Christmas Program.

The West End Legion Post, No. 147, and auxiliary will present a Christmas program Sunday afternoon, December 21, at 2 o'clock at the Legion Home, 542 Ashby street, S. W. They will be hosts to 65 underprivileged children.

Mrs. L. S. Magbee is program chairman and Mrs. Fred Bartlett, unit rehabilitation and child welfare chairman, will have in charge of the Christmas tree and the distribution of gifts. Each child will receive a personal gift, candies and fruit. Refreshments will also be served the children.

Commander E. M. Lowery, president of the unit, and Mrs. Lowery extended invitations to all members of the post and unit to attend and to bring a gift suitable for a child any age. These will be delivered to Hospital No. 48 by the hospital chairman, Fred Bartlett, in order that each hospitalized veteran may have the privilege of selecting toys to suit his family.

The Christmas program will take the place of the regular meeting, which was to have been held Thursday evening.

Ben Hill O. E. S. Plans Installation.

Ben Hill Chapter, No. 226, will install the following officers on Saturday:

Mrs. Effie Cowart, worthy matron; Grady Roberts, worthy patron; Ruth Hornsby, associate matron; Clara Ogletree, secretary; Inez Stewart, treasurer; Virginia Phillips, conductress; Annie Pearl Stewart, associate conductress; Bessie P. Means, chaplain; Opal Hammond, marshal; Lucille Butts, organist; Ethel Patton, Adah; Wyoline Hardin, Ruth; Ruth Lynn, Esther; Flossie Crankshaw, Martha; Gussie Hyatt, Electa; Cora Bryant, warder; Ovid Stewart, sentinel.

Mrs. Grace Lynn, P. G. M., will be grand installing officer. Mrs. Pauline Dillon, grand marshal; Mrs. Estie Hansen, grand chaplain; Mrs. Margaret Kevy, grand recorder; Mrs. Christine Cole, grand organist; Mrs. Thelma Morris, grand soloist.

Dr. and Mrs. Hailey To Be Honored.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Rufus King for a cocktail party on Sunday at the Piedmont Driving Club.

Honor guests will be Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Hailey, whose marriage was a recent event. Mrs. Hailey is the former Miss Claire Hummelt. Seventy-five guests have been invited.

Wesleyan Alumnae.

At a recent meeting Miss Susan Leonard was hostess to Wesleyan Alumnae group II.

A program continuing the study of the year, "Distinguished Women," was presented, and Miss May Allen King talked on Helen Keller. Mrs. J. Howell Green read a paper on Evangeline Booth.

Mrs. J. T. Stillwell, president of Wesleyan Alumnae Club, made an appeal for Chinese relief.

With regret the resignation of Mrs. J. W. Wing, as chairman of group two, was accepted.

JAPAN'S plan of attack on the strategic Philippines, war department communiqués report, is clearly revealed as an attempt to establish air bases at points fenced off by mountains and jungles from the main ground defenses. If she is successful, her bombers can more easily "soften" the strongly-fortified areas, paving the way for land assaults.



Japanese Using 'Softening' Tactics of Axis

"The enemy plan is clearly revealed as an attempt to secure improvised air bases outside of the area encompassed by our ground defenses."—War Department communiqué.

The official analysis of the battle of the Philippines shows Japan to be following the tried and proven Axis pattern—"softening" from the air before full-dress assault by land. To this end her strategy, keyed to bomber power, called for landings on Luzon, and at the important points as anticipated, but at remote Aparri, Vigan, and Legaspi, fenced off from defense forces by mountains and jungles.

From these places, all within 300 miles of the critical Manila area, the invaders expect to send their bombers to operate at close range.

Eventually such a battle would become one of strength in the air with Japan holding the advantage because of the archipelago's distance from America.

On the ground, the advantage does not necessarily hold.

The forces of Lieutenant General Douglas MacArthur admittedly are too small to cover the long coastline and prevent landings, but his regulars, plus the Philippine army and constabulary, may well be able to hold the interior citadel built around Manila bay.

The land assaults, scheduled whenever Japan's generalissimo feel they have sufficiently "softened" Fort McKinley, Nichols Field, Cavite and Corregidor Island, may come from five directions. In each case the nature of the terrain will very largely determine the nature of the operations.

First possibility is a landing near Lingayen, attempted and beaten off at least once. This approach is handicapped by shallow water. Transports for troops are forced to stand off and lighter troops ashore.

If established here, the invaders would face a traverse across swampland, where the only roads follow causeways, easily blown up. In the dry season, dikes could be destroyed to flood the land. And it is in this region that most Philippine war games have been conducted.

A landing at Batangas would have the advantage of deep water close ashore, but the only route to Manila crosses deep gorges where bridges could be dynamited and the defenses subjected to murderous fire.

An attack from the southeast is a possibility, but the attacking troops would be forced to a narrow front across a neck of land

which certainly must have been fortified by any prudent commander.

An east coast landing likewise is possible—anything is in modern war—but heavy ocean swells are normal and the coastline is walled in by the Sierra Madre mountains.

The same thing is true of the northern approach. To reach Manila, a column would have to cross precipitous country, much of it unexplored.

The direct sea approach to Manila is hardly practicable. Corregidor Island, four miles long in the 12-mile mouth of Manila bay, has been called as strong as Gibraltar.

Japan's careful strategy makes it clear the battle of the Philippines is essentially a battle for Manila bay. It makes apparent her appraisal of this small area as key to United States operations in the western Pacific.

and Italian guns and several antitank planes were picked up.

RAF planes operating under heavy weather difficulties again beat off Axis aircraft endeavoring to hold up the British, and also successfully attacked Axis transport columns moving to the rear, the communiqué said.

British bombers revisited Tarento, scene of their torpedo attack on the Italian fleet on Armistice Day a year ago, and attacked naval units at that base on Monday night, the RAF reported.

The communiqué did not mention the results of the attack on the Italian mainland base, but said three planes were missing

from all Mediterranean operations.

(The Italian communiqué yesterday said three planes were shot down and only slight damage done to buildings.)

Axis Reserves, Supply Bases Outflanked Near Gazala.

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ommended by Westbrook as a means of getting a good stand of plants. He said further that plants can be protected from blue mold attack by spraying with a yellow copper oxide spray developed by the Coastal Plain Experiment Station at Tifton. County agents, he added, can supply farmers with information on using the spray.

Westbrook advised farmers to keep close lookout for damage from mole crickets and other pests, and explained that growers can best prevent diseases in the tobacco crop by producing their own plants.

Penny Scarcity Reported by Bank

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 17.—(AP) Savannanahs are spending their dollars, but not their pennies—and it's worrying the Federal Reserve Bank.

James H. Bowden, manager of the Savannah Federal Reserve office, explained today that there is urgent need of them by the Treasury Department, which is at a loss to understand where they all are going. He suggested the public might be hoarding them, or saving them without exchanging them periodically for other coins.

The Treasury Department is four weeks behind on its shipments to the Savannah Federal Reserve branch, Bowden said, indicating difficulty in meeting demands for currency distribution.

Bowden said there were practically no pennies coming in to the commercial banks here, and asserted the Federal Reserve Bank had paid out \$2,000 of copper one-cent pieces without return of a single one.

British Pound German Tanks Deep in Libya

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Nazis Hurlled Back 100 Miles From Moscow, Reds Say

MOSCOW, Thursday, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Red army troops were reported officially early today to have thrown the Germans back almost 100 miles beyond this capital in their 16-day winter offensive to lift the sieges of Leningrad in the north and Sevastopol in the south.

A communiqué said that the Soviets reclaimed many more villages besides the hundreds already seized in the continuing two-week drive against the frost-bitten legions of Adolf Hitler. Specifically it cited the recapture of Aleksin, 85 miles south of Moscow between Serpukhov and Tula.

Plunging through the hole made in the German lines by the rout of six divisions from Kalinin, 95 miles northwest of the capital, the fast-moving Red offensive was said by the government to have taken Vysokoe, 40 miles to the west. Other reports said another town five miles farther on had been captured.

Here, what was left of these six German divisions apparently was too disorganized to offer effective resistance, while in the Tula region, 100 miles south of the capital, some Germans were said to be so dispirited that they were taking to their heels without putting up a fight.

Admit Retreats.

(The British radio, heard by CBS, said the Germans had been driven back 90 miles in a week in the Orei sector 200 miles south of Moscow, and about 60 miles in the Tikhvin region southeast of Leningrad.)

(The German communiqué admitted German troops were retreating, but said it was a part of a systematic shortening of the lines following abandonment of aggressive operations for stationary winter warfare.)

From north to south, the situation was thus presented by various sources:

Leningrad area: A swift Soviet advance in some sectors did not permit the Germans to pick up all their wounded. Some German groups were trapped, and the Red army is heavily engaged in mopping them up. Tass announced.

(The Finnish communiqué said the Russians were attacking all along the Svir river front, between Lakes Ladoga and Onega to the northeast of Leningrad, and also on the eastern front north of Lake Onega. One thousand Russians were killed along the Svir river yesterday, it said, and several hundred more in the fighting to the north.

(The British radio said Chudovo, 68 miles southwest of Likhvin and about 10 miles northeast of Volkovo on the Leningrad-Moscow railway, had been captured.)

90 Towns Taken.

Moscow Area: Pravda said 90 villages were in Russian hands as a result of fighting on Monday.

(The British radio said Novopetrovsk, near Volokolamsk in the northwest sector, was in Russian hands again.)

Tula area, 100 miles south of Moscow: The 28th "Deer's Head" German division was being pursued, and nine undamaged tanks, fully fueled and munitioned, were found abandoned by their crews who fled without shooting, Pravda reported.

Orei area, 200 miles south of Moscow: The Soviet communiqué said 70 villages were recaptured yesterday, and 41 the day before.

Volkovo, 100 miles northeast of Orei and 50 miles southeast of Tula, again is in Russian hands.

(Kursk area, 280 miles south of Moscow: The Russians took 50 more villages and still farther south they are threatening the industrial center of Stalino, 65 miles northwest of Rostov, said the British radio, quoting Moscow reports.)

Pravda's correspondent said that the Germans lost 1,500 dead in five days of counterattacks and Russian surprise night attacks in one sector, and that an SS German regiment was smashed in a fight for the town of "K" near Tula.

Sixty railway cars were smashed in a Soviet bombing of a station in the Leningrad region, the Russian communiqué said. Many Soviet reports told of large quantities of tanks, guns, mortars, trucks and other equipment captured.

from all Mediterranean operations.

(The Italian communiqué yesterday said three planes were shot down and only slight damage done to buildings.)

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War Censorship

Establishment in this country of governmental censorship on war news, as quickly as congress grants that authority, has been announced by President Roosevelt. It is absolutely essential that an intelligent censorship be put into effect if the war is not to cost us, unnecessarily, many lives and much equipment.

For one ill-advised statement may easily prove fearfully costly to the men who have to do the fighting. In time of war the unbridled freedom of press and of speech must be temporarily shelved in order not to give aid to our enemies.

President Roosevelt has shown keen wisdom in selecting Byron Price as head of the contemplated censorship office. Price has been granted indefinite leave of absence for this duty, by the Associated Press. He has been executive news editor.

There is, in addition to proper censorship, another vitally important duty in the handling of news and its dissemination which should be made operative at once. That is the dissemination of true news as well as propaganda in other countries, enemy and friend.

Propaganda, in this war, has been proven of tremendous value. The propaganda ministry of Goebbels, in Germany, is one of the most valuable instruments of warfare for the Nazis.

It is not proposed, nor should it be contemplated, that this country should embark upon a campaign of lies and trickery, such as that so ruthlessly exemplified by Goebbels.

We should, however, have an agency which can promptly counteract the effect of enemy propaganda in other countries. We may, properly, stick to the truth in our reports but we should see to it that our truth reaches the ears of the world at least as quickly as any Nazi or Japanese lies.

For instance, the Japanese, immediately after the December 7 assault on Pearl Harbor began disseminating the wildest reports of utter destruction and rout of American forces in Hawaii. We were confident, even at the time, these reports were woefully exaggerated. Today, thanks to Secretary Knox's report, we know the truth.

But, do the peoples of the world, the peoples of Asia and the Orient, know that truth or are they accepting at face value the wild claims that emanate from Tokyo?

If the only source for news about the attacks on Hawaii and the Philippines for the Chinese, for instance, is Tokyo, can we expect the brave Chinese allies to maintain their confidence in final victory?

We cannot expect to know every move in the chess game of war, nor would we want to. For we know that what we read or hear, enemy agents can likewise read or hear.

But we do want to be assured that enemy propaganda is not having a free hand among the people of our allies and of the friendly neutral world.

In addition to official censorship of war news, to official dissemination of our own propaganda, there is one thing every individual among us should do.

That is, establish an individual censorship for yourself, for your conversation. One sentence of your's, revealing movement of some army unit in which you have relative or friend, might prove valuable information to a possible enemy spy who overheard you.

So, always be careful of what you say—you never know who may be listening.

—REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

John Wesley Preached

There is something peculiarly interesting in the dedication of a new Methodist church on St. Simon's Island. For this is the first Methodist church established on that island in all the years, more than 200, since John Wesley preached to the Indians under the great oaks that still stand.

True, the new church is not at the same site where Wesley spoke so long ago. It is at the other end of the island. But it carries with it, even as it is dedicated, the aura of symbolism. The modern edifice of a great denomination,

founded by the man who carried the word of God to this island so many years ago.

John Wesley preached by faith and preached of faith. He must have visioned, in his heart, the great future of the country which he then visited.

If his spirit still returns to visit the scenes of his earthly labors, it will be good, even in the spirit land, to see on the island where he walked a Christian edifice bearing the name of the great sect he founded. After so many years.

—REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

A rise in the birth rate is among the few new signs of cheer. It would be awkward if no posterity were around to shoulder our debt.

—REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

Wake and Midway

Wake and Midway still hold out. But their reinforcement and supply is going to be a difficult operation—Wake particularly.

This is why no word has come of such activity, and may not for a week or more, if then.

Wake Island lies on the border of the Japanese mandate area, just as Guam lies right in the middle of it. This means the Japanese undoubtedly have local air superiority making American sea and air operations difficult.

The first task of the Navy will be establishment of aerial superiority at Midway to clear out any Japanese naval units operating off the island. Midway, firmly held, then will provide a stepping stone to Wake Island, from which the arduous task of clearing out the mandated islands may be attempted. This latter operation has been foreseen and, while it may take as much as a year or more to accomplish, must be done to maintain a clear line of communication with the Philippines. These main island outposts of Japan are the Marshall Islands, lying just south of Wake; Jaluit, south of the Marshalls; and probably one of the chief fortified posts of the Japanese; then Ponape, Truk, Yap and Palau islands, lying in a line westward from Jaluit almost to the Philippines. Within a few miles of Guam is Saipan, from which operations against Guam undoubtedly center.

North from Saipan and Guam lies the Marianas Islands and finally, just outside the mandated area, is Bonin Island, chief Japanese outpost and the base from which devastating air attacks can be launched against Japan proper.

These tiny dots lying across the face of the Pacific must be captured and held by the United States before any final decision in this war is possible. Their seizure will be a long and costly matter, both in lives and money.

The brilliant stand of the Marines is, therefore, at this moment as vital as any of the combined United States-Philippine forces in the Far East.

—REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

A whole new alignment is hinted in Hitler's remark to the Reichstag, that God ordained the war. While breaking with us, Adolf may resume diplomatic relations with the Almighty.

—REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

Conserve Paper

Lessing J. Rosenwald, chief of the OPM's bureau of industrial conservation, has urged retailers and the general public to make a special effort to economize in use of gift boxes, tissue, wrapping paper and similar paper materials. It's a good idea and should meet with all co-operation, particularly with a Christmas shopping season of unprecedented proportions anticipated throughout the nation.

As a commonplace example of wasteful use, double wrappings and rewappings of packages at home were pointed out. In addition, many shoppers ask for special wrappings for all purchases during the pre-Christmas season, even though many of the packages may not be meant for gifts. All of which means there is great waste at a time when all efforts should be toward conservation.

As far as retailers are concerned, they can be very helpful in this conservation effort, the bureau stresses, by educating and enlisting co-operation of both employees and the buying public in the effort to restrict use of paper materials, especially during the Christmas season. After all, it is the thought that counts when a gift is given—and not the folds and folds and folds of paper in which it is wrapped. Save paper and help win the war is truth, no less than a slogan.

—REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

"Great satisfaction" is felt in Berlin over Far Eastern developments. The natural next step will be electing the Brown Brother to the Aryan race (Suntan Division).

—REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

None of the great poems, says Miss Millay, have been "glad" poems. Naturally, a poet who felt good would be out mowing a lawn or shoveling snow in season.

—REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

Another biologist foresees the eventual disappearance of the human leg. It was tried once, in Victoria's time, but the pretense finally was abandoned.

—REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR—

Georgia Editors Say:

THE MAN WHO LEADS US

(From The Albany Herald.)

There will be more gray hairs on the head of the President of the United States before the new year which is soon to be greeted by a war-torn world begins to cut its eye teeth. There'll be more lines in that grim face, for the man who leads this nation in a war which now has engulfed practically the whole world will not get much rest. He must make grave decisions daily. He must keep in touch with the heads of other governments with which we are co-operating. He must not only know what every department of our government is doing, but must tell them what to do when momentous problems are to be faced and solved. His yes or no will often mean the lives of tens of thousands. His decisions will affect the destinies of nations in both hemispheres. Do you envy this man? Would you like to have his job? Do you think you could handle it better than he is handling it?

We think we know your answer.

WASHINGTON PARADE

By GLADSTONE WILLIAMS.

CENSORSHIP JUSTIFIED WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Secretary Knox's graphic report on the epic of Honolulu justifies the action of the government in clamping down a close censorship on details of our losses until seven days after the sudden attack.

The Japs are now shown not to have known as much about the damage done as they pretended to. Mimicking the accepted Nazi method, they grossly exaggerated the extent of our naval losses, ostensibly for the purpose of smoking us out on the real scope of injury.

They knew, of course, that some ships were sunk and a lot of others hit by aerial bombs, but they weren't sure even of those that went down, and they were less certain about the extent of damage to the others. This is illustrated well enough by the fact that the aircraft carrier they claimed turned out to be the old discarded target ship Utah, which had been demilitarized and was being used for experimental altaircraft gunnery training.

CHECKING DIRECTORY As naval officers have since pointed out, the only way they happened to hit upon the Arizona as one of the capital ships sunk was by checking the Navy Directory after we announced the death in action of Rear Admiral Kidd, who used the Arizona as a flagship. Anyone can buy a copy of the directory for 50 cents.

The important thing about the delayed announcement of the losses sustained was that it gave us time—a whole week—to repair much of the superficial damage done. During this period many things were accomplished. It is obvious from Secretary Knox's personal report that a number of units of the Hawaiian fleet detachment were temporarily out of commission. With this valuable information in hand, the Japs might have effected far more serious damage, had they been able to follow through.

Another element was the time necessary to replace our aircraft losses. Secretary Knox is yet to report on the full scope of the blow our Hawaiian air forces received from the surprise attack. They were terrific. But it is no longer a military secret that replacements have been secured in ample numbers. The air between the Pacific coast and Hawaii has been filled with one-way traffic.

FIFTH COLUMN The country will be amazed when the full story is told of Fifth Column activities by Japanese residents of Hawaii. It has been described by the Navy Department head as the most effective work of its kind yet seen in the war, with the possible exception of Norway.

On the bodies of Jap pilots shot down we found maps giving every detail of our naval and military works on the islands. They were maps even showing the barracks and bunks in which master sergeants slept, with the headquarters of key officers marked. Every strategic point at Pearl Harbor, the military bases, and the flying stations was carefully and accurately checked off.

The Japs were evidently instructed to make their way to the various key officer quarters and dispose of them first, if the raids proved as successful as they were planned.

JAP POPULATION Back of all this elaborate espionage, of course, is the fact that there is such a considerable Japanese population in Hawaii. There are more than 100,000 of them. The ratio over Americans is two or three to one. Most of the servants at Honolulu are made up of Japs.

As for getting information on naval operations, people who have lived in the islands say anyone can usually find out three weeks in advance when the fleet is coming merely by asking the wife of an ensign. The naval and military colony out there has long been accustomed to take life rather free and easy. One of the most highly fortified bastions in the world, everyone thought that Hawaii would be the last place an enemy would strike. It explains somewhat why our forces were caught off the alert.

The Japs, through their Fifth Column activities, knew all of this and more. They didn't overlook any bet on the smallest detail in the preparation of the first attack. This time with the treacherous change in the guard—a time when more confusion would be expected to result.

SUNDAYS FOR ATTACK It is not to be passed without noting, also, that they hit upon the Hitler practice of striking on a Sunday, out of recognition of the great Anglo-Saxon habit of relaxing on the Sabbath after the weekend's exertions. Someone has gone to the trouble of checking back on the various blows of aggression struck by the Nazis. With one or two exceptions, notably the invasion of the Low Countries preceding the fall of France, they all are said to have fallen on Sundays. It was true of Hitler's move into Russia.

But however deplorable may be the price we paid in lives and ships for being caught unaware, all sides agree that it has its compensating values in the new unity and national determination that has grown out of the disaster.

One thing is certain: that is that we will never be caught off the alert again. The universal sentiment that seems to have been expressed by the American press is that we should be thankful that matters turned out no worse.

Secretary Knox's graphic report, which will go down in history as a documentary, attested to the fighting mettle of our forces. The humiliation and anger aroused in our Navy over the treacherous act of the Japs will probably cause the fleet to perform some of the most daring exploits known to the sea.

SILHOUETTES

By RALPH T. JONES.

Vast Reaches Of Pacific.

I have never crossed the Pacific ocean. In fact, come to think of it, I have never seen the sea.

I have, but a dozen times, crossed the Atlantic. And, therefore have some realization of the impossibility, for the average land-lubber, of grasping the great distances of the oceans.

And, recalling the vastness of the Atlantic, I am trying to remember the Pacific is far, far larger. To give myself some slight ability to think of the distances that enter into the strategies of our fleet, our fighting forces and those of our allies. And of the enemy.

I have heard it said that, in the Atlantic, a single warship can patrol an area which, in comparative size, is about equal to the size of a postage stamp compared to the floor area of the city auditorium.

So it seems to me the question, heard several times in the past day or two, "Where is the U. S. fleet?" is rather absurd. We have the word of Secretary Knox the fleet is seeking to come to grips with the enemy. We may believe that. But it may be a long search and we must keep the old upper lip stiff and determined in the meantime.

Would You Want To Know? Furthermore, suppose our own Navy department did know, exactly, where the fleet is? Would you want that information published in your morning paper, just to satisfy you, when at the same time it would be telling that same important fact to some enemy spy?

Suppose that fleet was approaching the Jap fleet? Even the Japanese mainland. Wouldn't you be mad if our Navy broadcast that information, for Japs and all to hear or to read?

Certainly you would. So, you've got to be patient, to understand we are at war and there are restrictions on the information that you, or anyone else, may safely be told.

Warning—Good for Us All.

There has come into my hands a communication, written by Trustee Pollard, to all employees of the Central of Georgia Railway Company. It is so important, at this time, I think we all of us could well heed the same warning, learn the same lesson and apply it to ourselves.

The communication is printed in red and is headed: "Warning!" It points out that the lesson of December 7 is that "it can happen here." And adds that the railway company doesn't want any small-scale "Pearl Harbors" on its prop-

FAIR ENOUGH

By WESTBROOK PEGLER

Good Allies NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Our people are not going to believe that our gallant allies of Russia are fighting for the four freedoms and the principles expressed in our American bill of rights and I think it is a mistake to ask them to, because you thereby insult their intelligence and trouble them in their minds.

There is no reason for any such pretense, either, because allies in ways can have a common military purpose and fight well together even though the political systems in their respective homelands differ widely. Britain, for example, is a monarchy under a King-Emperor, and if any country on earth has been off of marchy longer and more contemptuously than the United States its geography and history have let me down. We were brought up sneering at Kings and lords and we have mocked royalty unconsciously in many of our silly little native fetes such as the Mardi Gras of New Orleans, the Veiled Prophet festival of St. Louis and the Atlanta City beauty pageant in which we clasp a gilded tin crown, jeweled with colored glass, on the head of some sportive attorney or cotton broker or some shapely little waitress or movie usher, and call that one the king and queen, as the case may be, of the event in hand.

Americans in London have laughed themselves silly over the spectacle of royalty on some of its solemn ceremonial occasions and wondered mischievously how the poor King managed to hold out for hours on public view in his ermine and plush, he being human like the rest.

Titles Absurd The very titles of the King-Emperor are absurd to us and all native, small-town Americans at least bear in their hearts a memory of the fact that this country had to fight his forebears twice. Yet this is the second time in less than a quarter of a century that the United States has fought on the same side with the British King and that other time the scenario indicated that the hated little tyrant, Nicky, Czar of all the Russias, should be one of our allies, too. He then was liquidated and we even made some military passes against the political parents of the present Bolshevik government of Joseph Stalin for reasons which need not be examined at the moment.

In a war you take your allies as you find them and in this one, by our great good luck and Adolf Hitler's unbelievable stupidity and vanity, we find on our side the ruler of Soviet Republics which, to our own surprise, no less than Hitler's, turns out to be the mightiest land fighter of all, except possibly Nazi Germany, and perhaps with no exception whatever. The shrewish little paperhanger, whose patience is always getting exhausted, was going to be in Moscow and beyond in six or eight weeks and now, after six months, our pals are running him bowlegged, for which fact we should be grateful without telling lies about their principles and their form of government.

Maybe they don't want to be regarded as a democracy any more than we want to be called a totalitarian dictatorship and if we grant they have been sincere about their principles, as I think we should, we are more likely to annoy than please them by misrepresenting their known and proclaimed opinions of the freedoms that we prize so dearly. Doing things their own way, which is nothing like our way, they become the only nation on earth that could give Hitler first punch, and a sneak punch at that, and then back away, using him up in a terrible slaughter of his faceless men as he stumbled on.

Worse Lie To Selves But it is worse for us to lie to ourselves, because that is very bad for our inner soul and a people and you may recall that on the day Hitler attacked Russia Winston Churchill was absolutely honest with the British people in declaring that Russia was a welcome ally but different.

I think further that it is not only unwise in the effect on our people, but unnecessary to get lavishly chummy with our own Communists and bring them into our government just because we are military partners of the Kremlin. You don't see the Russians throwing open their government to any infiltration of American Democrats or Republicans and we would regard them as fools if they did, because a true-believing American libertarian can no more keep his mouth shut about his beliefs or refrain from pushing them than a Communist can from promoting his obsession. Our people would sooner change their system and necessitate another liquidation.

Russia is amazingly tough and if we can rely on Harry Hopkins' impression of Stalin, he hates Hitler with a cold, personal rage and would like nothing better than a chance to fight him with cleavers in a closed room.

So that is ally but, not content to take him as he is and be glad he is our ally and so tough, we have to try to pretty him up with a lot of ideals and principles which may be disgusting to him, in a silly effort to kid ourselves. We do get some of the wackiest notions.

America America has girded herself for war: Struck by an invader from lands afar. She is marshaling her force to meet the blow. This has been delivered by a teacher-ous foe.

United we are: united we stand: Together we will follow "the guiding hand." Putting our strength, our all, into the knowing that victory will come our way.

America, still, is the "land of the free": To no other land will be bow the knee: Plin in heaven is high. We enter the struggle, on God we rely.

The foe will be vanquished, though hard their will be. Their legions, scattered from land and sea. The trust we have in "the guiding hand" Will give us victory, an united and a free.

W. H. SUDER.

ONE WORD MORE

By RALPH MCGILL.

MOST POWERFUL FORCE Most powerful force and most powerful word in any language is—ECONOMICS.

Economics is behind the fanatical Japanese drive in Malaya and against Singapore.

If Japan can cut her way through to Singapore she will have delivered a blow as disastrous to the Allies as was the fall of France earlier in the war.

She also will be able to eat, to get oil, to get raw materials, and also able to severely reduce England's, as well as our own, war efforts.

The Philippines are next in importance. We cannot afford to lose both.

If Japan fails to take Singapore, she is lost.

If she obtains the Philippines, she gives herself longer life.

If she takes Singapore, she lives again. Perhaps for a long time.

From an examination of reports from our own government bureaus, and from an examination of exports and imports, from steel production figures, certain facts are to be obtained.

They tell too, why the news of yesterday is bad news.

The Japanese are in Borneo.

The Germans, even though retreating in Libya, still are preventing aid to British forces in the vital Far East.

THE ECONOMIC FRONT Japan entered the war with her economic front in a precarious state.

At least 70 per cent of her budget was going to war in China.

Her imports were reduced 75 per cent by embargoes put on by the United States, England and Dutch Indies.

Retail prices were 66 per cent higher than in 1936.

Japan's export industry, cheap electric light bulbs, Christmas toys, Christmas decorations, and cheap duplicates of American and British goods, were all but stopped.

Her textile mills were running on a reduced basis.

In detail the picture becomes even more illustrative of how tight the economic straits were becoming.

FOOD Japanese, 73,000,000 of them, live on islands which have a land area slightly less than that of California. Japan depended, even in peacetimes, on food import. Since the China war she has got rice from her colonies. Indo-China supplied much of it. Ships transporting it had to steam past the Philippines. Fish, with which rice make up the staple diet, are lacking because gasoline for the fishing fleet is short and the fleet cannot go far out to sea. Japan must have Thailand (already occupied), Burma and Malaya for food.

OIL Our military estimates place Japan's supply of reserve oil at two years. For years Japan has been the greatest whaling nation in the world, maintaining hundreds of whalers and "factories" at sea to take oil. Japan produces about one-fifth of her need. We probably have underestimated Japan's reserves, as we did Germany's. But she must have oil to fight a major war. In 1939 the United States exported to Japan 27,994,624 barrels of oil. In 1940 this was reduced to 22,920,299 barrels. After Japan went into Indo-China, this country, Mexico and the Dutch Indies shut off the oil supply. Japan must subdue Singapore and get into the Dutch Indies for oil.

BAUXITE Bauxite ore, from which the flour-like alumina is obtained to be made into aluminum, is found more plentifully in the Dutch Indies than anywhere else in the world. According to the Far Eastern Survey, the Japanese produced one-twelfth as much aluminum as the United States. Her supplies are estimated to be enough for two years. In 1940 Japan produced 3,000 planes. Her output should not exceed that this year. We are producing about 2,000 planes per month. Japan must get to the Dutch Indies if she is to get bauxite.

STEEL The United States has supplied Japan with most of her oil reserves and also most of her steel reserves. When this country finally stopped the huge shipments of scrap iron (which is now coming back home, killing our men in ships and planes using our oil), Japan's steel production dropped 15 per cent below 1940 levels in the first months after the stoppage. In 1940 Japan still was seeking to buy armor plate from Pittsburgh plants. We then were trying to "appease" Japan with steel and oil.

ELECTRIC POWER Japan's lack of coal production and water-power development has slowed down her industrial output. All Japan's nonwar industries are closed down. They were rationed in November.

WAR DEBT Japan's war debt has increased 220 per cent since 1936. She was spending, in this year, 70 per cent of her budget on war. The United States was spending about 50 per cent when war began. Inflation long ago struck Japan.

THIS EXPLAINS All this material, obtained from factual reports, explains the fanatical drive of the Japanese toward Singapore and the Dutch Indies. The attack there is much more severe than the one directed at the Philippines, involving more Japanese men, ships and planes. If she gets Singapore, she will get what she wants in the Far East—food, oil, aluminum, and raw materials for her factories and machines of war.

Loss of either Singapore or the Philippines would be a major disaster because of the economic power it would give Japan.

That is why the war news is not good.

The Law Must Use Force to Control Men Who Are Incapable of Reason

By ROBERT QUILLEN.

There never has been such a thing as international law, for there can be no law without a power to make and enforce it. But there are rules, agreed upon by the great powers, governing the conduct of nations and their dealings with one another.

These rules forbid the sinking of merchant ships in time of war without providing for the safety of passengers and crew; the bombardment of open or unfortified cities; or attacks upon soldiers by people not in military service.

This last rule was made when war was a business for professional fighters, and its real purpose was to protect civilians. It meant: "Invading soldiers will not molest the civilian population unless civilians snipe at them or try to injure them." If enemies invaded your town, you had to grin and bear it or invite dreadful reprisals.

But now all rules are changed or ignored. There is no international law except as some nation has power to define it and make it stick. Since civilian workers are part of the war machine, it is fair to bomb the factories where they work; and since industrial towns are bombed, it is fair for them to defend themselves. Elemental rules of justice give every man the right to defend himself when attacked, whether he wears a uniform or a worker's overalls.

But that isn't the way the Germans interpret international law. They sink ships without warning and deliberately murder passengers and crew.

They bombed a section of Rotterdam, killing 30,000 people, after the city had surrendered—not as reprisal, but to test their bombers and to terrify the rest of Europe.

Yet when the people of Leningrad rose against the invading Germans and helped drive them out, Nazi officials were so enraged by "his violation of international law," they announced their intention to punish the city and destroy it utterly. Its fate would be worse than that of Rotterdam or Coventry, for all the people would be killed without mercy.

Dudley Glass

It is fine to note that private cablegrams are coming through from Honolulu notifying home folk that: "I'm all right." It must have been hell on earth for mothers—and fathers—with a son at Pearl Harbor to pace the floor and wait for news.

It was about a week before that fateful Sunday, I think, that I received a letter from Private Charley Vaughn, who used to be a fellow employee on the now defunct Georgian, saying how much he liked Honolulu and Schofield Barracks, his station. There was hint in that letter of anything but everlasting peace.

I had been wondering about Charley. But his mother called me a day or two ago to say she had received a reassuring cable.

Luck, providence or good driving—and good brakes?

At Marietta and Broad, with the streets wet from rain, I observed a rather aged gentleman step off the curb against the red light and start across the street. He hadn't looked to the right or the left—I was watching him and know.

Taxi driver stepped on his brakes, slewed this way and that way, and slid to behind the oldster, who kept placidly on his way—oblivious of all the world.

If he keeps that up the law of averages will get him. You can dodge some of the cars some of the time—and you know the rest of it.

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Cables From Hawaii Relieve Many a Georgia Mother

Interiors of Atlanta stores reveal no adverse influence of the war on Christmas spirit and Christmas giving.

I say "giving" for I have an idea few folks go shopping for something for themselves at this season, when shops are crowded and service necessarily delayed. That kitchen kettle or half-a-dozen pairs of shorts can wait until the rush is over.

Much as I dislike being pushed around, I have braved the congestion in several stores in the past few days and I don't see how the salesfolk could be busier.

That is good for everybody, I think. We are not downhearted. Even if we were, salting cash away in the old sock would be of no use. It wouldn't save us from whatever happened.

With all the rush in the stores I couldn't help observing that here and there was a department with the salesfolk comparatively idle.

These were the departments handling "staples," things in demand all the year around but hardly suitable for Christmas gifts. But I suppose some of the salesfolk are transferred to the busy departments.

Next to John Smith, I wonder if any American name is as widespread as Paul Jones?

I've personally known a couple of dozen. We have one on this paper, handling the radio columns. I've run across a new one, writing in "Public Safety."

The Jones family—or tribe—seems to pick "Paul" for their sons as the Smiths choose "John."

Dates back perhaps to John Paul Jones, the American privateer who harried the enemy fleets. And his real name wasn't Jones, at all. He was just John Paul, a Scot, until an American named Jones almost adopted him—so he adopted the name.

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Which reminds me the copy desk boys are having an easier time with headlines about the Far East than they have had with Russia. Most of the names are short—Midway, Guam, Oahu, Luzon, Cavite, Honolulu is a tight fit but Wake is easy.

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Good Morning

By LOUIE D. NEWTON.

"A COMMON CAUSE."

Yesterday I quoted from a sermon by the Roman Catholic Bishop of Munster, Westphalia, Germany, in which he declares that the people of Germany are "utterly defenseless" when confronted by the Gestapo. Today I wish to quote from a sermon by the Episcopal Lord Bishop of London, Dr. G. F. Fisher, delivered in St. Paul's Cathedral, Sunday afternoon, October 26, 1941, when representatives of many nations assembled for the celebration of Czech Independence Day. President Benes, Prime Minister Churchill, and a large number of diplomatic representatives were present, including Ambassador Winant.

I wish I had the space to quote every word of the sermon, but perhaps these excerpts will serve to indicate Dr. Fisher's thought:

"It is a matter of deep and solemn significance that again and again in these days of agony, representatives of so many nations and of so many Christian communities should meet together here in St. Paul's before Almighty God. Last time, Yugoslavia and its young king were uppermost in our thoughts and prayers. Today it is for Czechoslovakia and all its people, as they sadly and proudly observe their Independence Day, that we lift up our hearts to God.

"All the nations here represented share a common cause, a common faith, a common resolve, and a common suffering. But the first martyr among them was Czechoslovakia, and her martyrdom still continues.

"When our deepest and dearest

emotions are racked and tortured, it is difficult to keep a sense of proportion; yet it is our Christian duty to do so, and, indeed, without it there can be no secure faith or hope.

"First God, then man, the child of God, placed in time that he may be brought to eternal life; then history, the temporal framework of man's pilgrimage towards the Eternal City—that is the true order."

"God, if He be left out, then man has no significance or value; history becomes nothing but a meaningless accident, and all our striving and our tears are but a vain thing."

"Let us first thank God that He is and that He has revealed Himself to us in Jesus Christ. Let us reaffirm our faith in Him, and take to ourselves the glowing words of St. Paul, Romans 8:37-39. Because God is, and is the rewarder of them that seek Him, we men have before God a meaning, a value, a duty here and a fulfillment in eternity."

"But it is in history, and in this tragic hour of history, that our labor is set. History is the temporal order in which and through which the eternal will of God is to be worked out. By his incarnation, Christ affirmed that history has a meaning under God, and therefore that families and races and nations, through which the eternal will of God is to be worked out, have their place in God's purpose. Each of you is thinking now of your own dear country. . . . On Czechoslovakia crucifixion came first. Her cause is ours too, and in the unity of a sacred cause, may the Lord keep us steadfast."

Pulse of Public

The Constitution invites expression of opinion by its readers. This column is open for that purpose. All communications must be signed and all are subject to editing for conservation of space. Brevity makes argument effective and impels attention.

IMPRESSIONS ON VISIT OF RAF FLYING CADET.

Editor, Constitution: He seemed but a child. In school, he said, he found history most difficult of all. Especially the dates. Yes, he remembered the dates of Waterloo, Magna Charta, Hastings and the Union with Scotland. College was out of the question for him. The war came on, you know. The A. R. P. could use him for first-aid and during blackouts. He'd witnessed hundreds of bombings. Would he hesitate at or be squeamish now about bombing German cities? Why, no, sir. With baskets he had picked up fragments of bodies of English children—arms and legs. Yes, narrow escapes and close calls for him.

His morale was fine. He was cheerful and carefree. As if in all the world there was no cause for worry. As if he looked out upon a peaceful universe. That "n" time he'd marry and have a bright-eyed family of his own. That, ripe of years, his life span accomplished, he would die of old age peacefully in bed.

But his real outlook and expectations? From 19 to 20 were more to live. Fourteen more in training. One week for the trip back home. (If only that would come soon!) An average of five weeks to live in the fighting service, in active combat. A man who knew he was condemned to death through no fault of his own.

In appearance he was apple-cheeked and childlike. Eighteen or so. His eyes were black and his hair was a dark brown. He wore a blue-gray uniform with brass buttons and black belt. He was just John Paul, a Scot, until an American named Jones almost adopted him—so he adopted the name.

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Board Named Here To Study Status of Aliens

Civilian Appointments To Be Revealed Next Week, U. S. Says.

By GLADSTONE WILLIAMS. Constitution Staff Writer.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The Department of Justice revealed tonight that Attorney General Biddle is naming a civilian advisory board in Atlanta to determine the disposition of aliens picked up in Georgia and now held in custody by the FBI.

The board, made up of three to five members, is not expected to be announced before next week. Officials said that while it was possible some members of the Atlanta Board have already been selected, their names will not be announced until personnel of the various city and state groups is completed.

Similar Boards. Similar boards will be named in other leading cities of the country to board on individual cases of some 3,000 German, Italian and Japanese aliens picked up by the FBI immediately after the declaration of war.

No effort is being made to round up all enemy aliens in the country to board on individual cases. Those already detained represent a group which had previously been investigated by the FBI and were suspected of subversive activities.

The function of the civilian advisory boards in Atlanta and elsewhere will be to pass on the individual case of each enemy alien now held in custody and make recommendations to the attorney general: (1) Detention in an Army concentration camp for the duration of the war; (2) parole to the Immigration and Naturalization Service; and (3) release.

Any enemy alien now held in custody may ask for a hearing before the Civilian Advisory Board in the jurisdiction in which he is detained and offer evidence to support his claim for release.

The Department of Justice, in the meantime, will furnish the board with a report on the reasons why the alien was picked up.

Final Ruling. After recommendations of the board are received, the attorney general will pass finally on the case.

No information was made available as to the number or identity of aliens picked up in Georgia in the recent FBI round-up.

Attorney General Biddle has asked that individual states not interfere with the program of the Department of Justice any more than possible. It made clear that the department is only going after the "bad actors," and has no intention of bothering honest aliens who have come to the United States to escape conditions in Europe.

So long as they are not suspected of subversive action, they will not be molested.

The 3,000 aliens thus far picked up by the FBI represent only about three-tenths of one per cent of the total alien population of the country, officials said. Those arrested were selected from a special list prepared in advance by FBI investigators.

THOMAS M. STUBBS.

Atlanta.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION LIKES DUDLEY GLASS

Editor Constitution: Recently your happy columnist, Dudley Glass, writing of his long association with the typographers and pressmen of the Atlanta newspapers, made complimentary reference to the character and work of members of Atlanta Typographical Union No. 48.

At a meeting of the union, held December 14, 1941, the officers were instructed to write and express to you the appreciation of the union for the kindly references and friendly attitude of your columnist.

Permit us to give you assurance of our high esteem. The Constitution is a great newspaper, whose traditions are coincident with those of our 81-year-old union of Atlanta printers, and we share with you in honoring both.

Our entire membership joins in wishing you and our nearly 75-year-old paper many happy and prosperous returns of the holiday season.

R. T. PAVLOVSKY, President. W. J. BEACHAM, Secretary-Treasurer.

Atlanta.

GENE APPOINTS SELF SPOKESMAN FOR PAPERS

Editor, Constitution: I certainly heard a new one Sunday. Governor Talmadge taking advantage of the war as an opportunity to distract attention from his own career of misdeeds is now trying to become a patriot. But the thing that struck me most was his claim that he, the Journal and yourselves had made up.

Well, in all the years of my life I had never heard of someone trying to quit pointing out his own misdeeds that he even becomes your spokesman. Well, well, and well again. The Constitution has to have someone to tell the world of its editorial policy. Pooh!

"Our Gene" who is said to have once claimed that his life was inspired by reading Hitler's book and who never in his life found a good thing to say about our own President now becomes the great champion of democracy and the spokesman. Again: Pooh!

FRANK WATKINS. Washington, Ga.

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Merit Award—Mrs. Fannie M. Dabney, former president of the Georgia Women's Democratic Clubs, is shown presenting Cadet H. C. Carby, right, and Student A. B. Bagwell, a silver loving cup, on which the name of the best cadet flyer at the naval station on the old Camp Gordon site will be engraved each month. The recognition will be based on outstanding flying, ground work and general officer's quality. It will remain in the possession of the post and will have a long list of star students before it is filled with names.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(P)—The government today announced rationing of automobile tires will begin January 4, with sales prohibited except to individuals possessing ration cards, or to fill military orders.

Price Administrator Leon Henderson told a press conference that stoppage of far East rubber imports had forced a reduction of nearly 80 per cent in the nation's crude rubber consumption, that civilian consumption would be limited to 10,000 tons a month—compared with 47,000 used now—and that such nonessential goods as tennis and golf balls, bathing suits and rubber toys probably would be eliminated "for the duration."

To effect a drastic reduction in the principal use of crude rubber—for tires and tubes—civilian rationing boards will be set up throughout the country to issue purchase certificates. These will go only to agencies and individuals able to show that their tire purchases are necessary to the "maintenance of industrial efficiency and civilian health."

A monthly tire quota will be established by OPM and broken down into state and county quotas, principally on registration of commercial vehicles in each area.

"For the time being," Henderson said, "production of new passenger tires will be almost eliminated and production of new truck tires will be curtailed."

Present Stocks. At the present time, he estimated, stocks of new tires in the United States, under demands prevailing in recent months, would have lasted about 60 days. Replacement tire sales have been averaging about 4,000,000 tires a month.

New automobiles still in production will be equipped with four tires, he noted, but spares either would be eliminated or made from reclaimed rubber. Ceiling prices on reclaimed rubber were fixed at levels prevailing between November 5 and December 5.

The present temporary "freezing" order on sales was to have expired December 22 but will be extended until January 4.

Court Decisions

COURT OF APPEALS OF GEORGIA. Actions for Rehearing. Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company v. Mauney; from Covela. Denied. Barbour v. State; from Peach. Denied. Many administrative. v. Hendricks; from Calhoun. Denied.

American Surety Company v. Merriman; from Chatham. Denied. Royal Indemnity Company v. Beckham; from Chatham. Denied. Boston Insurance Company v. Harrison et al.; from Decatur. Judgment affirmed.

English v. Georgia Power Company; from Fulton. Denied. Clary v. McElan et al.; from Fulton. Denied. Cameron v. State; from Fulton.

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Mufflers, \$2.50 up

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House slippers, \$3.75 up

Dopp Kits, \$4.50 up

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Kid Llama sweaters, camel, blue, green, \$5

Covert slacks, \$7.50

Sport coats, \$16.75

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Experts Vote Joe Di Maggio Most Prominent Athlete of 1941



All in The Game

BY JACK TROY

All Except One All the returns are in on the All-America voting now—and University of Georgia fans will be interested to know that Frankie Sinkwich, as a junior, made every important team except one.

The latest he made was one of the best. He was selected on the All-America team of the All-America Board of Football, representing 48 college coaches' opinions. One reputable coach from each of the states was chosen to serve on Christy Walsh's board.

In the backfield, Stanford's Frankie Albert, Minnesota's Bruce Smith and Michigan's Bob Westfall were named as running mates of Georgia's great tailback.

The only important selection which did not name Sinkwich, the leading ground gainer of the nation, was Granny Rice's annual Collier's pick.

Rice's team leaned heavily to seniors. There was only one junior on the first eleven, Tackle Wildung, of Minnesota.

It now ranks as unique that Sinkwich was left off—and it is also worthy of note that Derace Moser, of Texas A. and M., who was chosen in the backfield, failed to make another outstanding All-America eleven.

When a junior back hits the All-America jackpot as Sinkwich has done, he must have the goods and be able to deliver them as well.

An All-America consensus backfield for 1941 would

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Ted Williams And Joe Louis Next in Order

National Open Champion Craig Wood Runs in Fourth Place.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Forget for the moment that the football season is just over and think of the three men whose names were most prominent in sports news during 1941. You'll probably come up with the names of the athletes who were listed 1-2-3 by 82 sports experts participating in the annual Associated Press poll. They were Joe Di Maggio, Ted Williams and Joe Louis.

Di Maggio's name appeared first on 42 ballots and either second or third on 20 others as tribute to his record-smashing feat of hitting in 56 consecutive American League games and leading the New York Yankees to the pennant and the world championship. His tremendous margin over Williams, who won the league batting championship with a .406 average and the home title as well, was due, perhaps, to Jolting Joe's ability to lift the entire Yankee team with him to winning heights.

FAR AHEAD.

In the voting, Di Maggio polled a total of 157 points to 74 for Williams, who received only five first-place votes. Louis, who defended his world heavyweight title seven times during the year, was so far ahead in the realm of boxing that there wasn't even a contest. Still he received only 10 first-place ballots and 64 points. A few scattered points were distributed among Billy Conn, Ray Robinson and Len Franklin.

National Open Golf Champion Craig Wood earned fourth place on the list with 27 points; just four more than Don Hutson, Green Bay Packers' end, whose presence near the head of the list emphasized the fact that 1941 failed to produce a super-star in football.

HARMON LAST YEAR.

Last year the No. 1 man was Michigan's Tom Harmon, and the year before it was Nile Kinnick, of Iowa. This year's college grid leaders were Bruce Smith, of Minnesota, and Frank Sinkwich, of Georgia, each rated tops by three voters for totals of 16 and 12 points, respectively. Between these two on the list were Cornelius Warmerdam, the pole vaulter, with 14 points and Goller Ben Hogan with 13.

Leaders in other sports were Bill Smith, the Hawaiian swimmer, with five points; Bobby Riggs, national tennis champion, with two; Willie Hoppe, billiards; Joe Platak, handball, and Ned Day, bowling, one point each.

Gillenwater Sold To Pelican Team

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 17.—(AP)—Outfielder Cardin Gillenwater has been sold for cash by Rochester, of the International League, to New Orleans, in the Southern Association, Red Wing President Oliver French said today.

MAURIELLO WINS

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—(AP)—James D. Turner, the 219-pound Dallas, Texas, fighter, lasted less than a round last night in Tami Mauriello's debut as a heavy-weight. Mauriello floored the big Texan twice in the opening seconds with hard rights to the jaw and when Turner appeared unable to defend himself Referee Al Reich stopped the bout.



Constitution Staff Photo—Bill Mason.

STARS OF N. G. I. C. CHAMPS—Five members of the Russell Wildcats' football squad, winners of the 1941 N. G. I. C. championship, are shown here all smiles as they gazed on the trophy given their team by conference officials. Left to right are Luke Bowen, guard; Bo Dempsey, halfback; Captain Phelps Womble, center; Foster Ratteree, halfback, and Kelly Turner, end. The squad was honored at a banquet by the school last night at the East Point Women's Club.

Russell Team Given Awards At Grid Dinner

Fourteen Jackets, Six Letters Presented to N. G. I. C. Champions.

By HENRY DAILEY.

It brought back memories of Thanksgiving Day and April Fool's Day when they got together last night at the East Point Women's Club to pay tribute to Russell High's 1941 N. G. I. C. football champs.

After the group of 55, including 35 members of the football squad, cheerleaders, and a handful of faculty members and prominent citizens had feasted on a good old turkey dinner with all the trimmings, it was left up to the school teachers to produce the laughter by getting away with some pretty funny tales about their cronies. Jere Wells, county school superintendent, was the principal speaker, and his brief message added to the colorful occasion.

Only one member of the entire squad was missing. He was Hilram (Chicken) Menslee, the star tackle, winner of a berth on the N. G. I. C. all-star team. "Chicken" became the first member of the squad to answer the call to defend his country and joined the Navy last week. He is now stationed at Norfolk, Va.

Coach R. L. Bowen brought a climax to the gala evening when he presented awards to the deserving players. Fourteen boys were given handsome leather jackets. Half a dozen other players received letters. In addition, letters were presented to the six cheerleaders and to the drum majorettes.

Those who received jackets were Reed Parham, Billy Ivey, Foster Ratteree, Phelps Womble, Luke Bowen, Harry Oswald, Arthur Gross, J. W. Dempsey, Robert Moore, George Kalamos, Henslee, Kelly Turner, Thomas Cranford and Glenn Knott, manager. Receiving letters were Paul Smith, Robert Hall, Tom Harper, Frank Henry, Charles Williams and Dickie Lane.

Wolverines To Get Only 1-Day Rest

Preparations are under way by the Morris Brown College Wolverines for their New Year's Day Vulcan Bowl tilt with Langston University in Birmingham.

Led by Captain William Wyssinger, line mainstay, the Morris Brown eleven is working hard. Christmas Day will be the only vacation enjoyed by the Atlantans before the Langston encounter. Coaches Nicks, Lockhart and Williams are stressing fundamentals on offense.

The Langston backfield is composed of four fast and versatile backs. Three of these are seniors with one a junior. The line, led by Washington and Captain Aldridge, is expected to be the finest starting line to oppose Morris Brown. Good reserves help the Langston cause.

Four leading Negro bands will present a "battle of bands" at the game. Over 210 pieces will be on hand to help make the Vulcan Bowl game a success.

Semi-Pro Series Cancelled—War

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 17.—(AP)—George H. Sisler, commissioner of the National Semi-Pro Baseball Congress, announced today the organization's international series, scheduled to be held at Honolulu in October, 1942, had been canceled because of the war. He said, however, plans for continuing the program on continental United States would be completed at the meeting of commissioners in Chicago, January 18 to 21.

DOWN THE ALLEYS

Forty-four entries have now been received for the Baby Defense Bond tournament, which will be run Saturday night at the downtown alleys as a forerunner to the big Xmas National Defense Bond tournament. Latest entrants include Steve Bryan, Jim Maloney, Jack Pearce, Tommy Clonts, Walter Lawson and others.

In this tournament, singles scores will count, and 2-3 handicap will be allowed each bowler. At least 75 entrants are expected to toe the line in this event. Entry fee is only \$1.75 and this includes cost of games. A \$25.00 Defense Bond will be awarded the winner in both the men's and women's divisions and many other prizes will be added according to the number of entrants.

Sign up today for this interesting competition on the alleys.

Westminster Presbyterian captured the second round of the Sunday School League with 13 games won and only 8 lost. Holland Class, Decatur Presbyterian and Grace Methodist and St. Mark's all won 11 and lost 10 to finish in a four-way tie for runner-up honors in this round.

J. Enlow was the big noise in the final night's scoring, checking in with a fine set of 361 to lead the Westminster crowd to a two-game win over Capitol View. Gil-land had a high game of 129 and Arrey had one of 122.

In the Amateur League, Fessenden led his General Electric team to a three-way win over Railway Mail Service by throwing in a beautiful set of 370, which included games of 112, 127 and 131. He was ably assisted by Wason with 121 and Barrow with 120 games when they counted the most.

Hoffman Deserts Diamond for Army

AMERICUS, Ga., Dec. 17.—Eddie Hoffman, former idol of thousands of fans in cities of the Georgia-Florida League, sensational first-sacker for the Pirates during 1939-40 and with the Valdosta Trojans last season, is in the Army now, according to advices received by the all-star's friends here. Hoffman is in the Coast Artillery, being stationed at Fort Eustis, Va.

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Georgia To Be at Full Strength for Orange Bowl Grid Classic

Cripples Clyde Ehrhardt, Van Davis Practice

Butts Drills Squad Two Hours on Passing and Running Plays.

ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 17.—A wide-open football game with plenty of scoring and lots of thrilling long runs is the way Coach Wallace Butts regards the New Year's Day Orange Bowl battle between his Georgia Bulldogs and the Horned Frogs of Texas Christian University.

Neither T. C. U. nor Georgia has any information on the other and naturally we can't make any definite preparations on defense," Coach Butts said. "We'll just have to do a lot of guessing and then use what we think best after we get on the field."

The stocky little Bulldog mentor is certainly doing plenty of preparation, however, to perfect his offense.

FIRST THIS WEEK.

Today was the first time this week that it has been possible to hold an organized workout, and Coach Butts took advantage of it by drilling his squad for nearly two hours on passing and running plays.

Similar drills are on schedule for the rest of the week, with



MILK TOAST TO MILK BOWL.—Alumni of Boys' High school banqueted the city and state championship Purple Squad last night. Boys' High will play Asheville here New Year's Day in a Milk Bowl game for the benefit of the Kiwanis Underprivileged Children's Fund. Shown above hoisting a milk toast are H. O. Smith, principal of Boys' High; Halfback Joe Kenimer, recently elected team captain; Football Coach Shorty Doyal, and John Blick, Kiwanis milk bowl chairman.

Kerr Expects Fine Turnout At Stars' Game

New Orleans Capital of Grid World, Coach for East Says.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 17.—(AP) Andy Kerr arrived here today confident of a successful turnout of spectators January 3 for the East-West All-Star game, moved here from San Francisco because of the war.

"New Orleans is the football capital of America," said Colgate's head coach, who, with Bernie Bierman, head coach of Minnesota, is coaching the East team, losers to the West for the past three years.

Kerr said he was at present a "promoter," arranging details with the Sugar Bowl and Tulane University for holding the game in Tulane's 73,000-capacity Sugar Bowl stadium two days after the Fordham-Missouri Sugar Bowl game, but when the teams arrived he would plunge into coaching.

Kerr said that unless practice arrangements could be made here for both teams, both would train away from New Orleans, the West probably at Baton Rouge and the East likely at Hammond, La.

Stratton Will Try Mound Comeback

LUBBOCK, Texas, Dec. 17.—(AP) Monty Stratton, the lanky Chicago White Sox pitcher whose brilliant big-league career was halted by a hunting accident that cost him a leg, will attempt a comeback as playing manager of the Lubbock Hubbers in the Class D West Texas-New Mexico League.

Stratton, who has served as coach with the White Sox two years, signed a contract today with the Lubbock club for the 1942 season. He was released by the White Sox last week, Stratton said he would try pitching in spring training and if not successful, would then become a bench manager.

City Basketball

WALTHOUR CITY LEAGUE. General Shoe and Central Cafe, a pair of undefeated clubs, will put their prowess on the line again tonight when the fast Walthour City League starts its action with a big game program at Warren Sports Arena. The Shoemakers will tangle with Jonesboro's battling rivals at 8 o'clock in what promises to be a stirring tussle from start to finish. The Jonesboro boys in their stride last week against the powerful Dixieland crew and are out to continue this fine play against the talented Shoemakers.

Central takes on Coach Rashbridge's Four Square boys at 10 o'clock and figures to come through with its fifth straight victory. Fred Bradford, Jack Tingle, Doyle Butler, Lee Richards and Billy Cartwright carry top many guns for the Four Square shooters. The most interesting contest of the evening is expected to be the Dixieland-Georgia Power skirmish at 9 o'clock. Both teams are rivals of late in standing and since both clubs are loaded with outstanding performers, a bristling struggle should result. Fred Bradford and Leonard Mayo should put on a real scoring act.

Royal Crown and Gasco open the night's play at 7 o'clock. The Crown, who have one of the best clubs in the league when they are on, should romp this time. The Gasco team has lost some of its best players.

THE SCHEDULE.
7 O'clock—Royal Crown vs. Gasco.
8 O'clock—General Shoe vs. Jonesboro.
9 O'clock—Georgia Power vs. Dixieland.
10 O'clock—Central Cafe vs. Four Square.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT RESULTS.

CIVIC LEAGUE.

White Problem Company won by forfeit from "Y" Scrubs.
SULTAN, C. (26) Pos. (33) LIDS
Eliot (16) F. (13) Dockendorf
Padgett (16) F. (14) Butler
Wallace (12) G. (4) Morgan
Johnson (8) G. (7) Fairman
Albrecht (6) G. (7) Moultrie
McKenzie (2) G. (2) Brooks
Howard; Sultan; Club—Taylor (2).

CONSTITUTION (32) Pos. (42) AL. CHAP.
Wells (8) F. (25) Kirkland
McDermott (4) F. (3) Van Sant
Reid (14) C. Boone
Sherman (4) G. (10) Hope
McKenzie (2) G. (2) Brooks
Substitutes: Constitution—Folker (2), Johnson; Alpha Theta Chapter—Barfield.

DENT, COL. (33) Pos. (22) WESTMINSTER.
McClain (9) F. (6) Williams
Levy (14) F. (13) Enlow
Dorler (2) G. (13) Thomson
Vann G.
Children (8) G. (3) Schutte
Substitutions: Westminster—Dietz, Smith (3), Russell; Dental College—Rosen, Jordan.

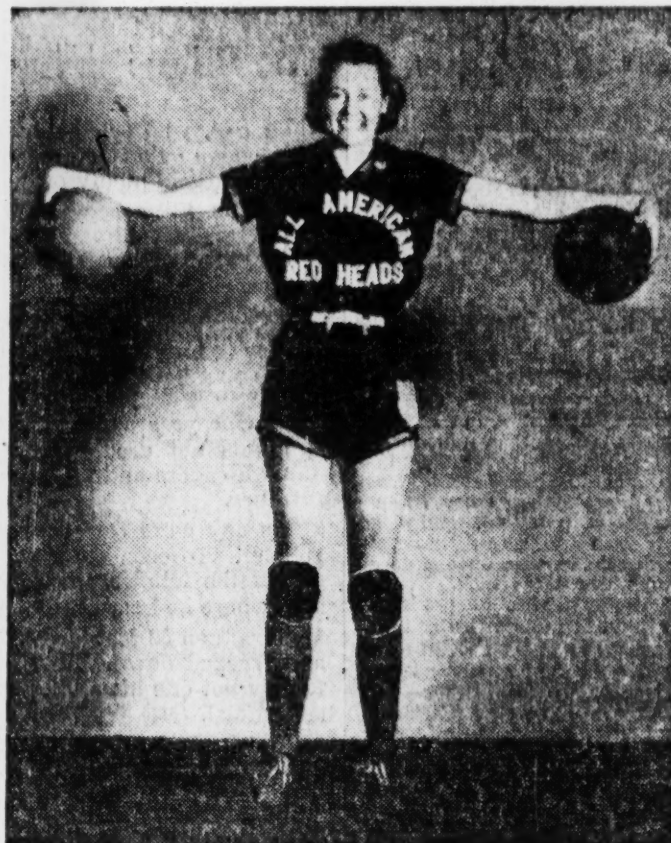
Officials: Referees, Lewis and Mumford; scorer, Greenaway.

SCHEDULE FOR TONIGHT.
7:00—Sons of Pericles vs. A. P. A. Employees.
8:00—Alpha vs. Y. M. S. A.
9:00—Constitution vs. Army M. R. U. Rogers vs. bye.

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GIANT REDHEAD PLAYS HERE.—When the All-American Redheads play the Atlanta Police Crackers (men's team) Friday night at Sports Arena, one of the giant invaders they must deal with is Miss Gene Love, shown here. Gene stands six feet four and handles her enormous height with rare skill. The Redheads average six feet to the man, or girl, and play men's rules. They have beaten many leading male teams.

Hopes Blossom For Turf Meet At Santa Anita

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 17.—(AP) Hope bloomed anew along Santa Anita's famed horse row today. Track officials expressed confidence its multi-million dollar turf meeting would get under way sooner or later—possibly by January 15.

From San Francisco Lieutenant General John L. Dewitt, commander of the Fourth Army, issued what the track termed a "clarifying" statement. Given in response to a query by General Manager Charles H. Strub, of Santa Anita, it read:

"If on January 15, or any other date, the situation is alleviated there will be no objection to opening Santa Anita race track."

Big Ben Jones, trainer of the star attraction at the park this winter, Whirlaway, seemed to sum up general optimism when he recalled:

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Miami High—Purple Game Motion Pictures Show Atlantans Earned Victory.

By CHARLIE ROBERTS.
There hasn't been such celebrating in our town since Tarzan outwitted a half dozen lions and fled to safety as there was last night out at the Biltmore where a merry-making crowd of 118 gathered to fete Boys' High's fine football eleven of 1941, described by Principal H. O. Smith and many others as "the greatest in Boys' High history."

The annual event, put on each year by the school alumni association in honor of the gridder, brought out many sports and civic leaders of Atlanta, proud "Dads" of some of the players, coaches, friends and newsmen. A special feature of this year's gathering was the inclusion of a reunion of the 1929 Boys' High team, the first Purple eleven ever to be unbeaten.

Billy Massengale, serving as a most able toastmaster, got the ball rolling by introducing John S. Blick, Kiwanis chairman for the Milk Bowl game here New Year's day. Blick brought the cheering news that the unbeaten Asheville eleven, which will oppose the Purples in the city's first bowl game, has guaranteed to bring 2,000 supporters from North Carolina for the gala affair.

Dr. Ben S. Reid, former Boys' High boy himself, presented the Dartmouth cup to Coach Shorty Doyal. The trophy, which is emblematic of the G. I. A. A. championship and which must be won three times for permanent possession, was the second such cup the Purples have retired to their trophy room.

A telegram from Mayor Roy LeCraw, congratulating the Purples on their great record, was but one of 80 received. The many speakers heaped justly deserved praise on the standout team which has lost only one game in three seasons of play in a tough league. Each of the varsity members was awarded a gold football for coping the state title, and Clint Castleberry, Jimmy Gordon, Bill Magbee and Charlie Furchgott got another gold ball apiece for making the All-G. I. A. A. team chosen by the organization's coaches.

Motion pictures of the Boys' High-Tech High, Boys' High-Miami High, and of the Georgia University-Florida University games were the closing features of the

North Fulton Wins Pair From Fulton

The North Fulton High school basketball team won a double-header over Fulton last night as the boys won by the score of 23 to 17, while the girls posted a 40-to-26 victory over Fulton.

In the girls' game Dorman was outstanding as she scored 16 points for the victorious North Fulton lasses. Gibson, also of North Fulton, followed closely with 14 points.

In the boys' game Harris, of North Fulton, was the outstanding star along with Lindgren, who played a good game at guard.

The Fulton five led the Bulldogs, 11 to 9, at the half, but were outplayed in the latter part of the game.

Cage Results

Naval Air Station 34	Alabama 30
Purdue 38	U. C. L. A. 27
Southwestern 30	Marshall 57
Colby 37	Wesleyan 34
American Inter. 42	New Hampshire 37
Illinois 52	Butler 50
Syracuse 29	Penn State 37
Washington (Md.) 41	Morganian 28
High Point 60	Rio Grande (Ohio) 20
Lehigh 38	Temple 60
Susquehanna 32	Dickinson 43
Toledo 57	Albion (Mich.) 31
Dayton 42	Whitika (Kan.) 19
Kansas 36	Denver U. 35
Central State 23	Arkansas 43
House of David 37	W. and L. 32
King College 37	Ranoke 32
E. Tennessee Tchrs. 52	Lees-McRae 30
Centenary 43	Loyola 35
New York U. 55	Newark 17
Bluefield 32	West Va. Tech 34
Springfield 50	Hofstra 47
Niagara 49	Cornell 42
Providence Col. 63	Lewell Textile 34
Brown 53	Clark 35
Delaware 52	Penn. Mill. Col. 51
(Extra period.)	
Oklahoma A. & M. 35	George Wash. 28
Catholic Univ. 44	Maryland Tchrs. 20
Columbus Univ. 55	Potomac State 41
Dubuque Univ. 44	Penn (Iowa) 28
St. Louis Univ. 34	St. Ambrose Col. 35
Drew Univ. 41	Rutgers (Newark) 30
Akron 51	Washington & Jefferson 36

GRID HERO DIES.

CORVALLIS, Ore., Dec. 17.—(AP)—Arthur R. T. Hillebrand, an All-America football tackle at Princeton in 1898 and 1899, died in a farmhouse fire.

Frontier U

Ward Invites Joy To Go on a Lion Hunt

By
OREN
ARNOLD

SYNOPSIS. Polly McMurray is a raven-haired, brown-eyed girl of the wide open spaces. She is a senior at Frontier University, a college for girls near the McMurray ranch. Dr. Kenyon Thomas Palmer has been named president of Frontier and when he arrives at the school he brings along his son, Ken, tall, handsome and in his early twenties. He is a basketball player and a very popular one. Polly and her brother Ward take Ken under their wings and are living to acquaint him with western ways. Ken has been granted special permission to become the only male student at Frontier. Joy Kathryn Boone, wealthy glamour girl and opulent from Bar Harbor, New York and points east has decided to transfer to Frontier. She makes a dramatic forced landing in her private plane on the McMurray ranch and out and finds down safely during a desert storm. Doctor Palmer takes an immediate interest in Miss Carlson, and is anxious to make Joy happy at Frontier. Polly, Ward and Ken are all interested in the new girl. Polly is a good student, but she is a bit of a playboy. Joy is a playboy. A climax is reached when Joy tells Polly that she is in love with Ken and thinking of marrying him.

INSTALLMENT XXIX.

She was almost in tears when Ward McMurray telephoned her. "Hi, Skeets," he boomed at her over the wire. "Say, know what? The panthers have been taking some of our stock again, and dad wants to throw another hunt. . . . Yep, sure, a lion hunt, mountain lions. You said you enjoyed the deer hunt. Wanta go with us after lions?"

Joy's interest leaped. Not only was a lion hunt a new experience, but it would also get her away from this gossip thing. At least away from worrying about it. She hastened to accept. The same group that went after deer would be along this time, she learned. That included Dr. Palmer and Bettina Carlson, whom Buck McMurray admired more and more.

Excitement again was in the air when the magazine photographer and the syndicate writer arrived in town.

Those two gentlemen, Glenn and Brookfield, were doubly delighted. With the customary agility of their clan they invited themselves to go along with Joy on the hunting trip, and, of course, Buck McMurray said he would be pleased to have them.

"This is sure swell!" Mr. Glenn exclaimed. "Imagine, getting Joy Boone chasing lions! Whoops!"

"Check," Brookfield agreed. "Looks like a break for both of us."

"They were decent enough young men," types, really. They stood in no awe of Joy Boone, but they liked her cordially.

They slept most of the way out toward Tonto Rim, where the hunt was to begin, and they came fully awake only when the second car on this party rolled up to the log cabin there and Polly McMurray stepped out in trim western hunting clothes.

"Sa-a-a-y!" James Glenn gave tribute, low tone. He saw instantly that Polly was photogenic. Her stature, her extraordinary pretty brown eyes, and her high coloring that was from wind and sunshine and wholesome living. When the introductions were under way and she smiled at him, Mr. Glenn from Manhattan felt his heart do a sort of deliberate handspring! In the same moment he perceived that his colleague, Terry Brookfield, was affected the same way.

"So nice that you could come on the lion hunt," Polly assured them. "It ought to make your pictures much more interesting, don't you think?"

"Could you hold that position just a second, Miss McMurray?" Glenn pleaded. "I'll have my camera ready in two shakes."

Polly looked bland. "Me?" "You. There against the blue skyline and that green cedar tree. I'm taking color shots. Your costume—you—say, you, like a tryout for pictures? Hollywood, I mean. I also represent one of the studios as a talent scout and—"

"Oh!" Polly laughed then. "Please excuse me. I misunderstood. Miss Boone is yonder helping get the hunting dogs and the horses out of the ranch truck. We are about the same build, but I thought you had met her, and all. Anyway she is very fair. Blond. I'm sorry you mistook me for her."

Mr. Glenn eyed her. "I didn't."

AUNT BET

By ROBERT GUILLIN.



"I'm glad I didn't marry a preacher or doctor. I like to be able to say my say without thinking whether it will get Pa in trouble."

JUST NUTS



said he. "I've known Joy Boone for years. Now look—just lean back casually against the tree and—"

"But, Mr. Glenn!" "Sure! That's it! Bright brown eyes. Alert smile. Hot zigzag goth, Brookfield, just look at this girl! Hidden out here in Arizona."

"You better sign her and wire Sol Berger what you've found," the syndicate man said, enthusiastically. "Sign her for a test anyway. Some other scout may get ahead of you if they see your photos. I can give her a boost in the publicity sendoff, then you can start building for—"

"For goodness sake!" Polly was more or less ignored in their shop talk. But not for long. Mr. Glenn took eight pictures of her then and there, quite overruling Polly's flustered protests. When the others came to watch, he ignored them and went on with his picture making. In time he was through, and turned to be introduced to Ken Palmer, Buck McMurray, the rancher, and a camp helper and cook.

The picture-taking procedure was embarrassing to Polly. She hoped Joy had seen that it was forced on her. She whispered to Ward, asking him to direct their attention at once to Joy. But when Ward spoke to her in private a few minutes later—

"Nuts to that, McMurray!" Glenn said, grinning. "Glammer gals come a dime a dozen. Personally I think the public is sated with 'em, although I admit the Boone person has something on the ball, all right. But your sister now—where! You ought to look at her!"

Ken Palmer sensed their attitude also, and curiously enough was more than normally concerned about it. He somehow felt that it was a personal matter with him. Not that he disapproved of their reactions to Polly; on the contrary, he told himself, he thought he understood how they felt.

The camp this time was in a highline mountain cabin on the far reaches of the range area for this part of Arizona. A threat of rain was showing. Mr. McMurray said that inasmuch as the hour was late afternoon, they'd all hole in for the night and start early tomorrow.

"Suits me swell," Glenn James said. "Miss McMurray, your brother brought a guitar along. Said you could play it. Can you tune it up for me here in the cabin?"

"Hey!" Terry Brookfield. "You've had your innings with it. It's my turn."

"Try and get it!" the other young man grinned. "Miss—look, may I call you Polly?—look, why don't you come on to New York and—"

He was a very talkative somebody. And so, for that matter, was Brookfield. Moreover, there was nothing whatsoever bashful about either of them. Accustomed to working at high tension, these two from the east pitched into new self-assured pleasures here.

It soon became obvious to the whole camp party that while they might also tend to business on this outing, they were personally smitten with Polly as well. Ken Palmer watched with increasing interest and concern. He heard them again say that she could be made famous, in movies, in modeling, in any of several walks of life back at New York. Polly played the guitar and sang western songs for them, and Brookfield wanted her to sign a contract with him, then and there, him to be her manager for Manhattan night club bookings.

If nobody else seemed prone to take the two ardent young men very seriously, Ken at least did. He had helped with cooking supper, and in the cleanup time after eating, he paused often to stare at Polly and her new suitors, over by the cabin fireplace. They were still there, talking, laughing, when most of the others went to their beds. Joy and Polly and Miss Carlson had been assigned one of the three rooms for their own and Joy "turned in" early, partly for diplomacy's sake, Ken felt.

Ken, staking the camp duffel, untying Polly's and the two New Yorkers' sleeping rolls, was completely ignored by the trio at the fire, but he was within earshot when the men's voices dropped to an increased, assumed intimacy with her, and when Glenn finally said, "Look, Polly, everybody else is hitting the hay and you'll want to sleep, too. You're marvelous, kid. See you first thing in the morning, huh? Meantime though, how about a good-night kiss? All right?"

Ken, several feet away, turned toward the fireplace in silent consternation. He was frowning. They still ignored him, or rather didn't notice him at all.

"Mr. Glenn," Polly said, levelly. "Good-night. Thanks for saying so many nice things. But the man I kiss will know it! It won't be a casual or careless thing. He'll be the man I expect to love all ways!"

She got up then with quiet dignity and went to her room.

Ken Palmer had unconsciously clinched his fist. He stood there erect and glowing looking in the fire glow, silently glaring at the other two men. They still ignored him.

The lion hunting party found rain falling when they awoke next morning in their big cabin. Ward called through the closed door to Bettina Carlson, Joy and Polly, when he heard them stirring.

"Sleep late, chillun," said he. "The dogs could never pick up a lion trail now. Maybe the rain'll break later. Breakfast when you want it."

But Joy had retired very early,



'Bugs' Baer Says:

One thing we found out in the last war is that you must give the American public the news without a strawberry on top.

There was a fellow in Washington in 1917 who dished up some artificial optimism. Well, they got rid of that fellow quicker than the price tag on a Christmas gift.

Right before war was declared this time I wrote, "The optimists cry themselves to sleep. The rest of us have insomnia."

But when war was declared I slept as peacefully as a sardine in oil. I said, "That's that, and a couple of thats make a those."

Europe is going to find out one thing. We come to a slow boil, but we stay hot a long, long time.

so she was done with sleeping. "Ward, I'm coming out to help cook. May I? Huh?"

"Sure! Be tickled to have America's Name Girl fry my bacon!" He said it jauntily.

"Ward! Please don't. I'm sick of that sort of thing. Really I am. Can't I just be one of the party?"

"Sure you can. I was only teasing and—no! No, you can't. Not this trip. I forgot the photograph and feature writer. They are pounding the hay in the next room."

Joy groaned, in deprecation. Polly peeped out of her blankets with interest, and not a little surprise. Joy spoke again.

"Will you talk to me if I just come out quiet like, Ward? Just about camping and things?"

"Will I?" When Joy was gone, Bettina Carlson, next to Polly there on the cabin floor, poked a face out and smiled.

"This is truly remarkable," she said. "Joy and I have lived for years amid the finest luxury money can buy. And yet, my dear, I'm actually enjoying this! Thirst for sleeping in rough blankets down on the dusty floor of an old log house in the mountain. I think Joy likes it, too. It's a fundamental thing, I feel, Polly. Something earthy and good about roughing it. Something wholesome."

"I think I understand," the ranch girl agreed. "I'm glad Polly is happy about it. She seems bright this morning. She was a little depressed back at school. There was talk, you know."

"I heard. About her and Ken, you mean?" "Yes, Miss Carlson, she does care for Ken, doesn't she?"

"Oh, in a way, dear. Kenyon is a grand boy, surely. And I think his being prominent, the college president's son you know, made him attractive in Joy's eyes. She is quite impressionable. Honest and open."

"You mean—maybe she doesn't—doesn't really love him?" Polly asked that eagerly.

Continued Tomorrow.

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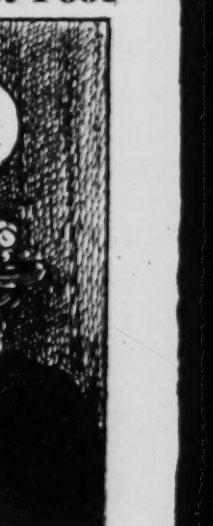
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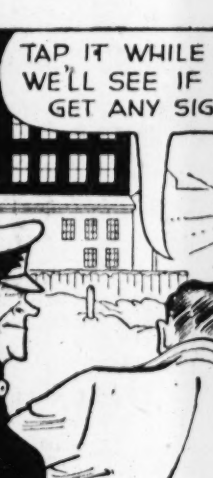
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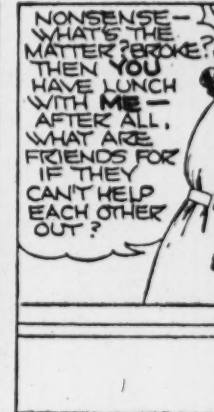


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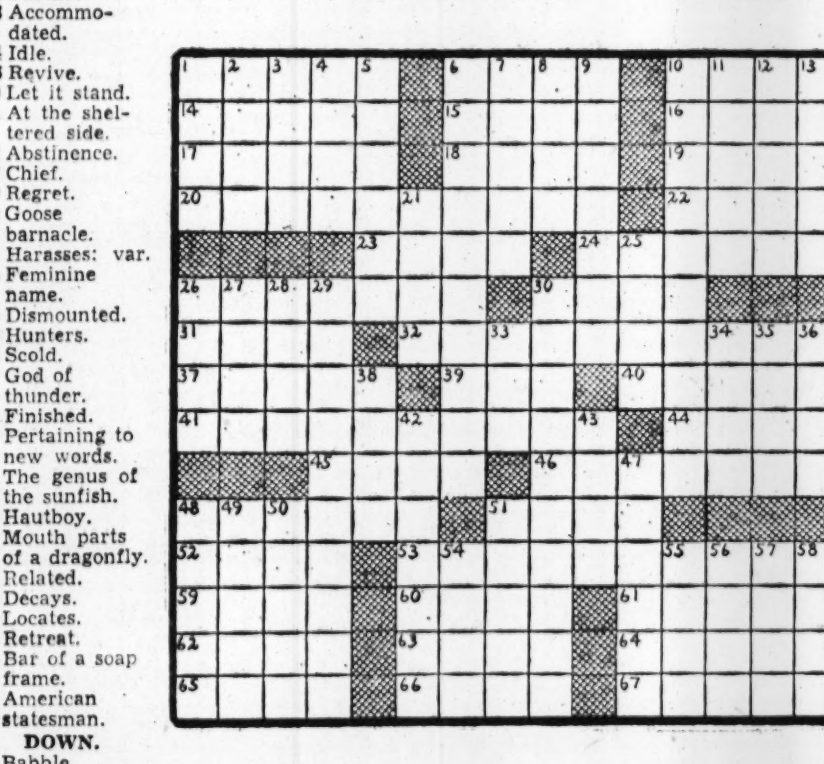
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22 Partner.
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24 Idle.
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30 Let it stand.
31 At the sheltered side.
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39 Regret.
40 Goose.
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45 Dismounted.
46 Hunters.
48 Scold.
51 God of thunder.
52 Finished.
53 Pertaining to new words.
59 The genus of the sunfish.
60 Hautboy.
61 Mouth parts of a dragonfly.
62 Related.
63 Decays.
64 Locates.
65 Retreat.
66 Bar of a soap frame.
67 American statesman.
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2 Clothe.
3 Independent state in Arabia.
4 Holiday.
5 High-pitched.
6 Cut off in a will.
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8 Third son of Jacob.
9 Accomplish.
10 Changes the order of.
11 Another name.
12 A social class.
13 Geniculate.
21 Quiet.
25 Famous fiddler.
26 Floating construction of logs.
27 Charles Lamb.
28 Flowerless plant.
29 Cafe.
30 Mute.
33 Genus of rodents.
34 Baseball team.
35 Belus.
36 Purposes.
38 Converse.
42 Holders of legal claims.
43 Scat!
47 Large ship of commerce.
48 Style of type.
49 Call out.
50 Descendant of Belus.
51 Blows a horn.
54 Negro from Benin.
55 Thought.
56 Cover.
57 Stake.
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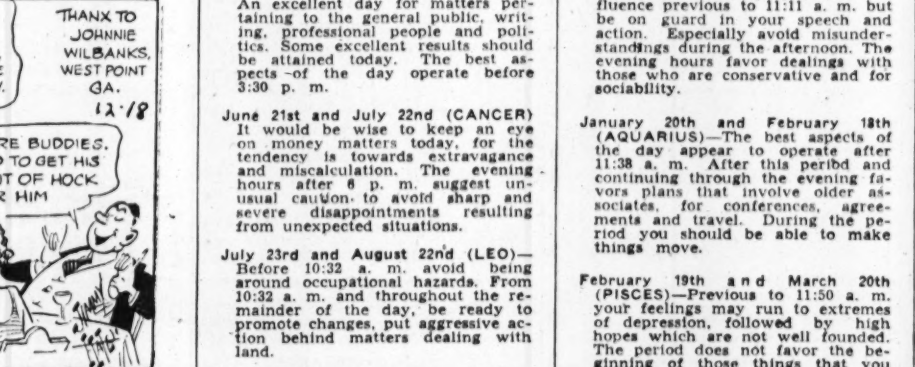
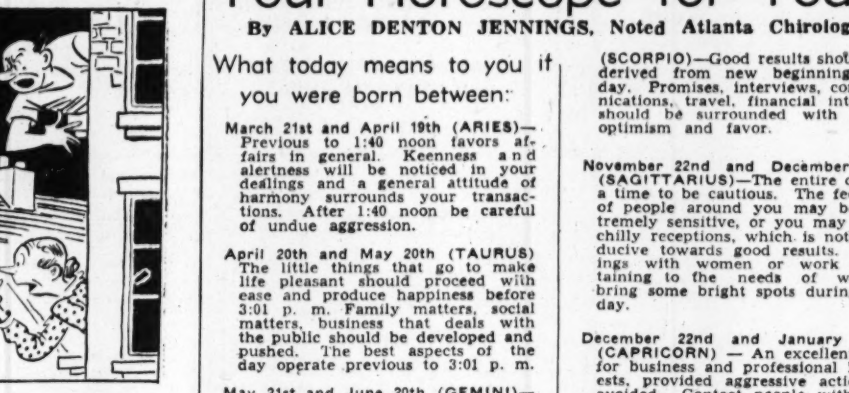
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What today means to you if you were born between:

March 21st and April 19th (ARIES)—Previous to 1:40 noon favors affairs in general. Keenness and alertness will be noticed in your dealings and a general attitude of harmony surrounds your transactions. After 1:40 noon be careful of undue aggression.

April 20th and May 20th (TAURUS)—The little things that go to make life pleasant should proceed with ease and produce happiness before 3:01 p. m. Family matters, social matters, business that deals with the public should be developed and pushed. The best aspects of the day operate previous to 3:01 p. m.

May 21st and June 20th (GEMINI)—An excellent day for matters pertaining to the general public writing, professional people and politics. Some excellent results should be attained today. The best aspects of the day operate before 3:30 p. m.

June 21st and July 22nd (CANCER)—It would be wise to keep an eye on money matters today, for the tendency is towards extravagance and misadventure. The evening hours after 8 p. m. suggest unusual caution to avoid sharp reversals, disappointments, resulting from unexpected situations.

July 23rd and August 22nd (LEO)—Before 10:32 a. m. avoid being around occupational hazards. From 10:32 a. m. and throughout the remainder of the day, be ready to promote changes, put aggressive action behind matters dealing with land.

August 23rd and September 22nd (VIRGO)—During the morning find yourself running around in circles, doing needless things, or not being able to avoid doing affairs that are useless. After 5 p. m. favor work calling or diplomacy, correspondence, general business and travel.

September 23rd and October 22nd (LIBRA)—Before 10:51 a. m. use care and economy in any financial undertaking. Between 10:51 a. m. and 6:34 p. m. you will accomplish more by working alone, as others may not get the proper perspective of your ideas. After 6:34 p. m. favors writing and communications.

October 23rd and November 21st

Today's Radio

Thursday's Local Programs

These programs are given in EASTERN STANDARD (ATLANTA) TIME and are subject to change by the stations or networks without notice

WGST 920	WSB 750	WAGA 1480	WATL 1400
8:00 Silent	Dixie Farm Hour	Silent	News; Top Morn.
8:00 Aunt Hattie	Dixie Farm Hour	Charles Smithgall	Top Morning
8:10 CONSTITUTION	Dixie Farm Hour	Charles Smithgall	Top Morning
8:15 Ky. Mountaineers	Georgia Jubilee	Charles Smithgall	Top Morning
8:30 Sundial	Barnyard Jamb.	Charles Smithgall	Top Morning
8:45 Burns' Varieties	Merry-Go-Round	Charles Smithgall	Top Morning
9:00 News	Merry-Go-Round	European News (N)	Top Morning
9:15 Sundial	News	Charles Smithgall	Servicemen Ser.
9:30 Sundial	Studio Program	Charles Smithgall	Morning Man
9:45 News: Sundial	Merry-Go-Round	Charles Smithgall	Morning Man
10:00 The World Today (C)	News: Penelope	European News (N)	Top Morning
10:15 Guide: Sundial	Penelope Penn	Morning Rhythms	Morning Man
10:30 News: Sundial	Cracker Barrel	Rhythms: News	Morning Man
10:45 Sundial	Chanticleer (N)	News (N)	Go Shopping
11:00 Just Home Folks	News and Music	Breakfast Club (N)	News: Interlude
11:15 Chuck Wagon	Listen, Ladies	Breakfast Club (N)	Grandma Kitchen
11:30 Chuck Wagon	Enid Day	Breakfast Club (N)	Rev. Wade
11:45 CONSTITUTION	Gospel Singer (N)	Breakfast Club (N)	Rev. Wade
12:00 Morning Melodies	Beas Johnson (N)	News and Music	News: Interlude
12:15 Myrt and Marge (C)	Bachelor Child	Bible Class	Dance Music
12:30 Stepmother (C)	Twig Is Bent (N)	Bible Class	Sing String (M)
12:45 Woman of Courage	Road of Life (N)	Bible Class	Cheer Up Gang
1:00 Mary Lee Taylor (C)	Mary Martin (N)	Radio Neighbor	News: Ballroom
1:15 Man I Married (C)	Pepper Young (N)	Radio Neighbor	Ballroom
1:30 Linda's First Love	Bud Barton	Radio Neighbor	Ballroom
1:45 Aunt Jenny (C)	Country Ch. (N)	Pop Smith	Ballroom

WGST 920	WSB 750	WAGA 1480	WATL 1400
12:00 Kate Smith (C)	News	News	News: Go-Round
12:15 Big Sister (C)	Melodies	Rev. Hale	News: Go-Round
12:30 Music Pickers	Farm Home Hr. (N)	Shadow of Blue	Okay Boys
12:45 Our Gal Sunday (C)	Farm Home Hr. (N)	Music: Talk	Local Varieties
1:00 Life Beautiful (C)	Farm Home Hr. (N)	Midday Musicals	News: Interlude
1:15 Woman in White (C)	Weather	Ted Malone (N)	Helen Holden (M)
1:30 Right to Happiness (C)	Georgia Jubilee	By-Lines: News	Afternoon Var.
1:45 Sidewalk Snoopers	News	For U. S. A.	To Announce
2:00 Young Dr. Malone (C)	On Parade	Johnny Gorman	Cedric Foster
2:15 Joyce Jordan (C)	Songs We Love	Tips, Tunes	Cameron at Organ
2:30 News	Songs We Love	Monitor News	Castles in Air
2:45 Kate Hopkins (C)	Music: News	Music Moods	Castles in Air
3:00 Matinee Melodies	Against Storm (N)	Orphans (N)	MBS Calling (M)
3:15 CONSTITUTION	Ma Perkins (N)	H'moon Hill (N)	MBS Calling (M)
3:30 School of the Air (C)	Guiding Light (N)	John's Wife (N)	Swing Session
3:45 School of the Air (C)	News	Plain Bill (N)	Swing Session
4:00 Kate Patrol	Backstage Wife (N)	Club Matinee (N)	Swing Session
4:15 CONSTITUTION	Stella Dallas	Club Matinee (N)	Swing Session
4:30 Hits, Encores	Lorenzo Jones (N)	Club Matinee (N)	Johnson Fam. (M)
4:45 Singin' Sam	Wonder Brown (N)	Club Matinee (N)	Boake Carter (M)
5:00 Sidewalk Snoopers	When Girl Marries	Dance Music	News: Interlude
5:15 The Sidewalkers (C)	Portia Faces (N)	Orphan Annie	Parade Circus
5:30 Serenade	We the Abbot (N)	Sports: News	Spreadin' Rhythm
5:45 Scattergood Baines (C)	News	Tom Mix (N)	Tea Time Tunes

WGST 920	WSB 750	WAGA 1480	WATL 1400
6:00 Serenade: News	Airport Reporters	6 O'Clock Club	News: Dance Music
6:15 Gov. Talmadge	Sports News	Mystery Man	Wild Life
6:30 Treasure Hunt	Speak of Liberty	Lum. Abner (N)	Today's Sports
6:45 The World Today	Three Sons (N)	Dance Music	Dance Music
7:00 Amos and Andy (C)	Fred Waring (N)	Easy Aces (N)	Fulton Lewis (M)
7:15 Lanny Ross (C)	Europe News (N)	Lost Persons	Here's Morgan (M)
7:30 Honored Music	2 Cities Quiz	Cugat Revue (N)	Scholarship Con.
7:45 Honored Music	2 Cities Quiz	Cugat Revue (N)	Scholarship Con.
8:00 Death Valley Days (C)	Coffee Time (N)	March of Time (N)	News: Interlude
8:30 Durr's Tavern	Aldrich Family (N)	Service-Smile (N)	Decatur Baptist
9:00 Major Bowes (C)	Music Hall (N)	Hillman (N)	News: Interlude
9:30 Major Bowes (C)	Music Hall (N)	Town Meeting (N)	Amer. Prefer
10:00 Glenn Miller (C)	Rudy Vallee (N)	Town Meeting (N)	Ray G. Swing (M)
10:15 William Green (C)	Rudy Vallee (N)	Soos vs. Reeves	Spotlight Bands (M)
10:30 William Green (C)	Frank Fay	Fight B'cast (N)	True to Life (M)
11:00 CONSTITUTION	News	Dick Rogers (N)	News: Sports
11:15 Music You Want	Strang Ensem.	Dance Music	Dance Music
11:30 When You Want It	Joe, Mable (N)	Glenn Miller (N)	Dance Music
12:00 News: Music (C)	Treasure Trails	Sign Off	News: Sign Off
3:00 Sign Off	Sign Off	Silent	Silent

Snooks, Morgan Romp
On 'Coffee Time' at 8

Affirming that his lies and bluster have a prolonged hangover effect on his private life after his regular Thursday night broadcast, "Honest" Frank Morgan will reveal a number of secret weapons he's been hiding up his sleeve as John Conte laughs up his sleeve during Coffee Time tonight at 8 o'clock.

Later, Baby Snooks, planning her Christmas maneuvers early, will prepare a fireplace ambush for Santa Claus to find out if the old gent's hair is really white or red, like Daddy, Hanley Stafford's.

Dorothy Kilgallen has to adapt herself to two different studios for her two "Voice of Broadway" broadcasts on Columbia. The Tuesday night show originates in a regular studio at the CBS main building, but the Saturday morning program is broadcast from Playhouse No. 2, a converted theater, on Broadway.

William L. Shirer is receiving high praise in radio for his broadcast the day the Japanese launched war on the United States. Shirer is given credit for giving the most complete, straightforward report of events heard on the networks.

Burns and Allen's youngsters, Sandra and Ronnie, rode the Swan float with their parents in the recent Santa Claus Lane parade down Hollywood boulevard in the film capital.

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Green Speaks To the Nation On Labor's Duty

Union Leader's Address To Be Broadcast From Chicago.

William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, will speak to the nation tonight over the Columbia network and WGST.

His address, based on the topic "The Duty and Opportunity of Labor in the Present Crisis," will be made before a gathering in the Union League Club, Chicago.

The program will be heard from 10:15 to 10:45 o'clock tonight.

ADMIRAL STIRLING TALKS ON JAP WAR

Cueing discussion to the question uppermost in the minds of the nation's citizens, America's Town Meeting of the Air will explore the "Outlook in the Pacific" tonight, with Admiral Yates Stirling Jr., U. S. N., retired, former commander of Pearl Harbor and chief of staff of the U. S. fleet, heading the panel. The forum will be aired at 9:15 p. m. over the NBC-Blue network and WAGA.

Other speakers will be Hugh Grant, who was U. S. minister to Thailand in 1940-41; Hansford Baldwin, military expert on the staff of the New York Times, and Arthur Menken, ace photographer and news reporter, just returned from a 38,000-mile tour from Tokyo to Tasmania. George V. Denny Jr., will preside.

Soose-Reeves Bout On WAGA Tonight

The Billy Soose bout with Jimmy Reeves tonight will be an exclusive NBC-Blue Network-WAGA offering to boxing fans when Sam Taub and Bill Stern describe the event beginning at 10:15 o'clock.

The match at the Cleveland arena will be one of Soose's best trials in the light heavyweight division. The clever Penn State ring master recently retired undefeated when he found it increasingly difficult to make the weight. Ring experts expect him to duplicate his brilliant career in the heavier ranks.

Barrymore Returns To Rudy Vallee Hour

John Barrymore, under doctor's orders to remain in a Hollywood hospital throughout December, has staged a rally and announced that he will return to his program with Rudy Vallee for the broadcast tonight at 10 o'clock over WSB.

In each of the broadcasts he has missed during his present illness, his elder brother, Lionel, has substituted for him. Lionel also is scheduled to be heard on Christmas day on this program in his traditional radio recital of Dickens' "Christmas Carol."

On the Network

7:00—F. Waring's Time—nbc-east
Play Aces, Drama Serial—nbc-blue
Amos and Andy Serial—nbc-blue
Fulton Lewis Jr. and Comment—nbc
7:15—Europe War Broadcast—nbc-red
Mr. Cugat's Serenade—nbc-blue
Lanny Ross and His Songs—nbc-banjo
Here's Morgan—nbc-blue
7:25—Jimmy Powers Sports—nbc
7:30—Xavier Cugat Or.—nbc-red-east
Dance Music—nbc-red-west
Intermezzo from Orches.—nbc-blue
Maudie's Dairies—nbc-blue
Arthur Hale's News Comment—nbc
7:45—H. Kallenborn—nbc-red-west
Jack Stevens Sports Talk—nbc-east
8:00—Fanny Brice & Variety—nbc-red
March of Time—nbc-blue
"Death Valley Days," Dramatic—nbc
Morton Gould and Orchestra—nbc-red
8:30—Henry Aldrich Family—nbc-red
Army Camps and Variety—nbc-blue
Ed Gardner and Duffy's Tavern—nbc
F. Y. I. Report: Dance Orches.—nbc
8:45—Elmer Davis and Comment—nbc
9:00—The Music Hall Hour—nbc-red
Commentary on War News—nbc-blue
Major Bowes Amateur Hour—nbc
Gabriel Heatter Speaking—nbc-banjo
9:15—Town Meeting—nbc-blue
Adrian Rollin's Trio—nbc
9:30—America's Preferred—nbc-banjo
10:00—Vallee-Barrymore—Orches.—nbc
Xavier Cugat's repeat—nbc-red-west
Glenn Miller and His Orchestra—nbc
Raymond G. Swing on War—nbc
0:15—Years For the Listening—nbc
Metropolitan Opera Guild—nbc-blue
Spotlight Bands, Dance Music—nbc
10:30—Frank Fay & Variety—nbc
Dancing Music Half Hour—nbc-blue
Kaye Brinker's "True to Life Songs"—nbc
0:45—World News Broadcasting—nbc
Under Western Skies—Song Prog.—nbc
11:00—News for 15 m.—nbc-red-east
Fred Waring's repeat—nbc-red-east
Dance, News (2 hrs.)—nbc-blue-cbs
National Defense Hour—nbc-blue
11:15—Late Variety & News—nbc-red
Dance Orchestra and News—nbc

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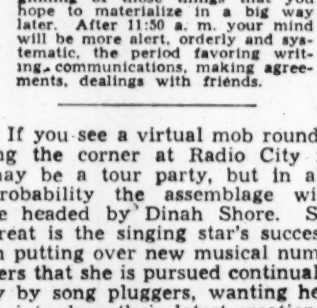
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lost and Found

LOST silver cornet on Lakewood Monday. Reward. MA. 2671.

LOST-Kolinsky necklace, 5 skins, vic. 4th and Avenue. Reward. V.E. 6975.

Business Personals

WANTED-Stamp collections, U.S. and Canada, 1000-2000. Confederate stamps and covers. Write Wm. Jacobs, 1000-2000. Atlantic Beach, Fla.

CLARK'S TRANSFER-1 rm. up. Buy, sell furniture. JA. 3461. MA. 3069.

DR. C. A. DUNCAN, DENTIST, 135 1/2 WHITEHALL ST. MA. 4377.

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LADIES-Quick service. If you need small load at reasonable rates call Way Finance Co.

CURTAINS LAUNDRY, Mrs. C. R. Smith, 807 Pryor St. MA. 2780.

MA. Meet me at 8 P.M. PICAUNE, 1033 Blvd., for a juicy steak. BILL.

DR. M. C. WELLS, DENTIST, 132 1/2 WHITEHALL ST. JA. 1887.

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Mother, 95, Collapses in Snow After Long Hunt for Frozen Son

CANAAN, N. H., Dec. 17.—(AP) Chilled, bruised and cut, a 95-year-old mother was found today where she fell exhausted at a frozen roadside as she had crawled to report "My son is dead."

Mrs. Mary Porter lived with her 60-year-old son, Robert, on lonely Blake Mountain road in

Dorchester, 15 miles away. Robert didn't return home from his weekly shopping trip in Canaan on Saturday. But his horse died, towing an empty wagon.

All night his mother waited. Sunday and Monday snow and freezing temperatures prevented her from leaving home.

Then yesterday she wrapped herself in warm clothing and started out afoot to find "her boy."

About 2 p. m. yesterday she found his frozen body beside the road.

She continued along the snow-covered highway, but the 17-hour journey had been too much and a pedestrian found her today lying beside the road. Police Chief Gene Lorden said she must have crawled and dragged herself most of the way.

Before she would be comforted Mrs. Porter had to be assured that police had left for her son's body. Then friends gave her shelter and tonight she was warm again and fast recovering.

She seemed satisfied—Robert was not out in the cold.

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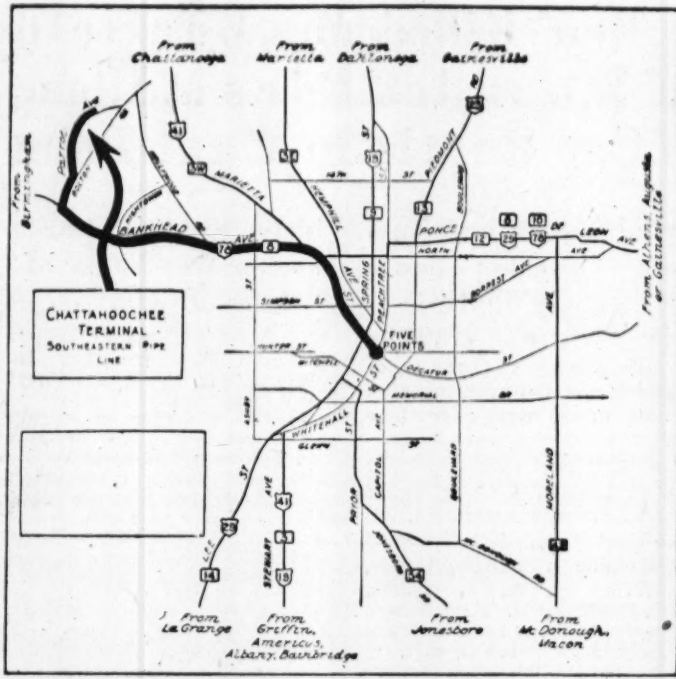
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DEDICATION SITE—This map shows the routes by which automobiles may reach the Chattanooga Terminal of the Southeastern Pipe Line, where dedication ceremonies for the pipe line will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Senator George is scheduled to speak.

Rules for Grady Weather Reports Essay Contest To Be Restricted

Charles I. Branan Award Goes to Best Theme on Famous Editor.

Rules governing the Charles I. Branan contest for the best essay on the life of Henry W. Grady, former editor of The Constitution, yesterday were being distributed among the junior and senior high schools of Atlanta.

The Branan contest, made possible through a clause in his will, which sets aside \$100 in prizes for the best essays, is held every five years in the public schools of Atlanta and Fulton county.

A cash prize of \$60 will go to the student writing the best essay, while another prize of \$40 will be given for the second best essay submitted.

Essays must not be more than 1,000 words in length, or less than 700 words, according to W. T. Perkinson, who represents the trustees of the Branan will. A committee of teachers will be appointed by each school principal to judge the essays submitted from their school, and this committee will submit their three best essays to a central committee to be named by Clark Howell, publisher of The Constitution.

Weather Reports To Be Restricted

To keep information on weather of the United States out of the hands of "unfriendly powers," Glen Jefferson, regional meteorologist for the southeast, announced yesterday that the weather bureau will restrict the publication of weather data to local forecasts for 24-hour periods only.

Jefferson said the weather bureau would continue to issue forecasts for the ensuing 24 hours but would give out no information on rain or general weather conditions in other sections and is eliminating entirely its extended forecasts.

Weather

ATLANTA: One year ago today (Thursday, December 13, 1940)—High 54, low 32. Clear.

SUN AND MOON FOR TODAY.
Sun rises 7:38 a. m.; sets, 5:32 p. m.
Moon rises 7:34 a. m.; sets, 6:18 p. m.

CITY OFFICE RECORD.
Highest temperature 59
Lowest temperature 40
Mean temperature 49
Normal temperature 50
Precipitation in past 12 hours, inches .04
Total precipitation this month, inches 3.08
Excess since 1st of month, inches .42
Total precipitation this year, inches 29.9
Deficiency since January 1, inches 16.31

GEORGIA—Fair to partly cloudy, with slowly rising temperature today.

Charles Currie Named On Insurance Group

Charles J. Currie, manager of the Atlanta agency of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, is one of eight agency managers to be appointed a member of the managers' advisory committee, company officials announced yesterday.

Currie is in New York attending the first meeting of the committee, which will consult periodically with home office officials on matters of agency operation.

At Federal Offices

Federal Works Agency's division of public works, moving from Jacksonville, will be at home on the ground floor of the 22 Marietta Street building, January 1. Lester M. Marx, regional director of the division, announced yesterday. Removal of the regional headquarters from Jacksonville will bring between 70 and 80 members of the regional staff and their families to Atlanta.

A hearing on whether pay roll deductions for rent and other facilities at the Piedmont Cotton Mills of Egan exceed the "reasonable cost of such facilities," will be held here January 9. J. R. McLeod, wage and hour director, announced yesterday. The hearing will be held at 10 a. m. at the Henry Grady hotel.

E. S. Sproule, of Philadelphia, reported to the Atlanta Weather Bureau yesterday for permanent duty as junior meteorologist.

Suit of W. G. Roper and Ed Prickett against the Dinkler Hotel Company for personal injuries which they allegedly suffered while guests of the hotel will open in federal court today. The men charge that hotel employees entered their room and had them arrested.

Boisfeuillet Jones, NYA state administrator; C. H. Barker, director of NYA work projects; and Calvin Kyle, NYA assistant information officer, attended a meeting of the Carroll county advisory committee of the NYA at West Georgia College, Carrollton.

Marion H. Allen, defense savings state administrator, and Deputy Administrator Arthur Cheatham are expected to return today from Chicago where they have been in conference with Secretary of Treasury Morgenthau. The conference was called to discuss plans for more intensive promotion for the nationwide sale of defense bonds and stamps.

Case of W. F. Sutton, Decatur resident, indicted last summer for operating a radio station without a license, was not pressed yesterday in federal court.

The scarcity of Americans who know all the words of "The Star Spangled Banner" might be cause for embarrassment in some quarters, but if Deputy Clerk Charles A. McGrew can help there won't be a person in the clerk's office who doesn't know all of "God Bless America."

Wary of hearing his co-workers whistling and humming one bar of the patriotic air, Deputy Clerk McGrew used part of his lunch hour yesterday to buy a copy of the song.

The first person he assigned to memorizing the words was Chief Deputy Clerk Carl Meadows.

Southeastern Pipe Line Will Be Dedicated

Senator George Heads List of Speakers at Terminal Here.

Dedication ceremonies for the Southeastern Pipe Line will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Chattanooga Terminal on Parrot avenue just off Bolton road with a distinguished group of national and southeastern public officials attending.

Scheduled to head the group of speakers if he can get away from Washington is Senator George.

Also on the program are Congressman William P. Cole Jr., of Maryland, author of the Cole bill under which pipe lines over the nation are being rushed to completion, and J. Howard Marshall, chief counsel of the United States Petroleum Co-ordinator's office.

Marshall will appear as the personal representative of Ralph K. Davies, deputy petroleum co-ordinator, who was detained at the national capital for a series of war conferences.

Among the other guests will be Edward A. Kelly, congressman from Illinois; Pehr G. Holmes, congressman from Massachusetts; Elton J. Layton, clerk of the House Committee on Foreign and Domestic Commerce, and Samuel B. Pettengill, author, editor and former congressman from Indiana.

A. Steve Clay, of Atlanta, grandson of Georgia's renowned Senator Steve Clay, will preside at the dedication.

The Southeastern Pipe Line is the largest pipe line system to be placed in operation in the United States this year. An all-welded steel tube 21-2 feet underground, it runs from Port St. Joe, Fla., on the Gulf of Mexico, for 456 miles to the outskirts of Chattanooga, Tenn.

at the STATE CAPITOL

M. E. Thompson, former assistant state superintendent of schools, visited old friends at the capitol yesterday.

Miss Lita Brazleton, private secretary to the Governor, finds it difficult to get away from two famous historical dates. All day long she answers a telephone, the number of which is 1776, and at night she goes home to 1492—her street address.

J. C. Manning, aide to Commissioner of Agriculture Tom Linder, returned to his office yesterday after a trip to Washington.

Attaches of the Governor's office had midafternoon refreshments yesterday. They were served cake and hot coffee—compliments of W. L. Joiner, director of the state motor vehicle division.

at the COURTHOUSE

In order to pay their taxes before the December 18 deadline, Fulton county tax payers for the past few days have been swamping the office of Tax Collector T. Earl Suttles, who announced yesterday that he must issue fi. fas. against property on which taxes have not been paid by that date.

For several days long lines have formed in front of the numerous windows in the collector's office.

A consent verdict of lunacy was entered yesterday in the case of William Jackson, who was charged with burglary. At his trial on this charge more than a week ago, attorneys on both sides agreed to abide by the decision of an independent doctor as to the sanity of Jackson, who has made several attempts to escape from the courthouse and during his trial threw a pitcher of water at the judge's bench.

Milton Cherry, alias Money King, a Negro, was sentenced to serve 20 years in prison yesterday after he was found guilty of stabbing another Negro, Weyman Key, to death. The case was heard before Judge Walter C. Hendrix, of superior court.

Arthur Smith yesterday was sentenced to serve 15 to 20 years' imprisonment, after a jury in Judge A. L. Etheridge's court had found him guilty of robbing Glenn N. Kirkland and Morris Levenson.

Eugene Evans yesterday was sentenced to serve not less than three nor more than four years, following his conviction on two counts of burglary in Judge A. L. Etheridge's court. Johnny Johnican was sentenced to serve 10 years on a similar charge.

Madame Litvinoff Said Seriously Ill at Capitol

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Madame Ivy Litvinoff, British-born wife of the new Soviet ambassador, was under a doctor's care tonight at the Russian embassy. Her secretary described her condition as "seriously sick—but not dangerously so."

In New York the Russian war relief said Madame Litvinoff was unable to attend a tea there because she had a fever of 104 degrees and a skin infection resulting from inoculations and vaccinations taken in Singapore en route here.

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